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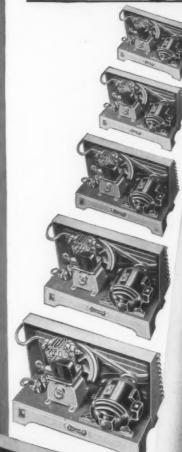
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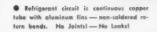
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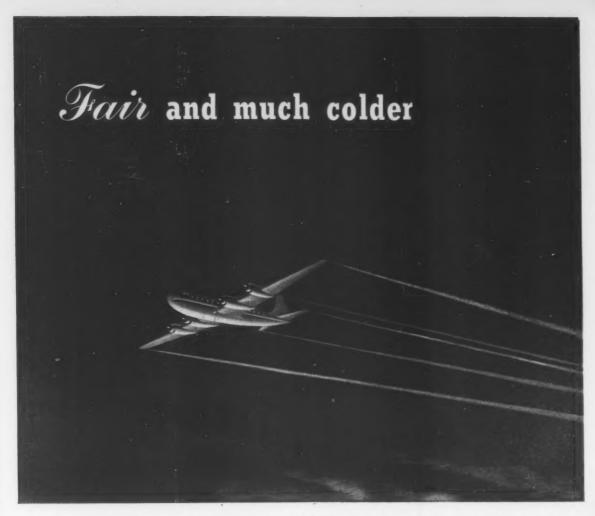
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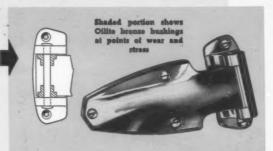
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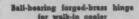
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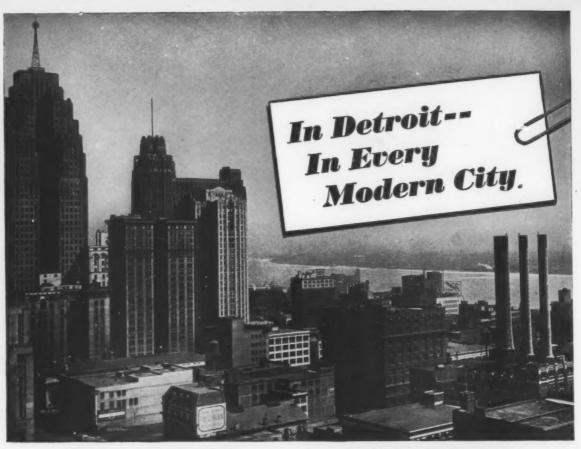
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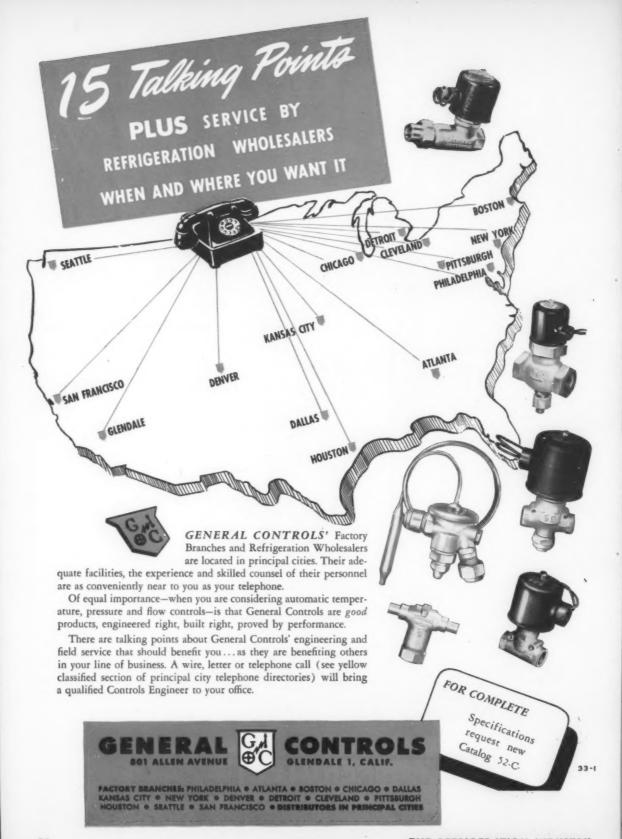


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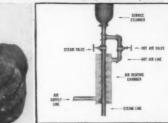
Remove valve and fuse plug. (Some small cylinders do not have fuse plugs.)



2 Examine interior of cylinder with drop light. (Cutaway view)



3 If scaly, pickle with 5% mu-



A Brast inside cylinder with steam and hot air.



5 Cool to 150° F., inspect. Repeat cleaning if necessary.



6 Insert valve and fuse plug.



7 Evacuate.



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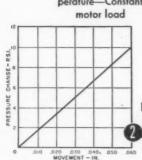
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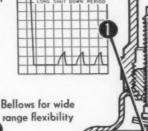
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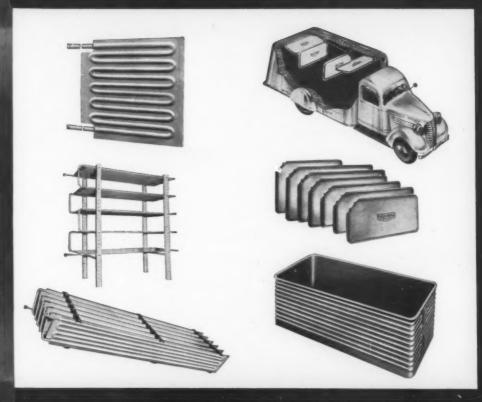
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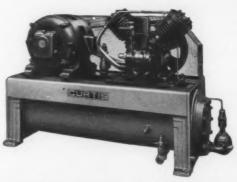
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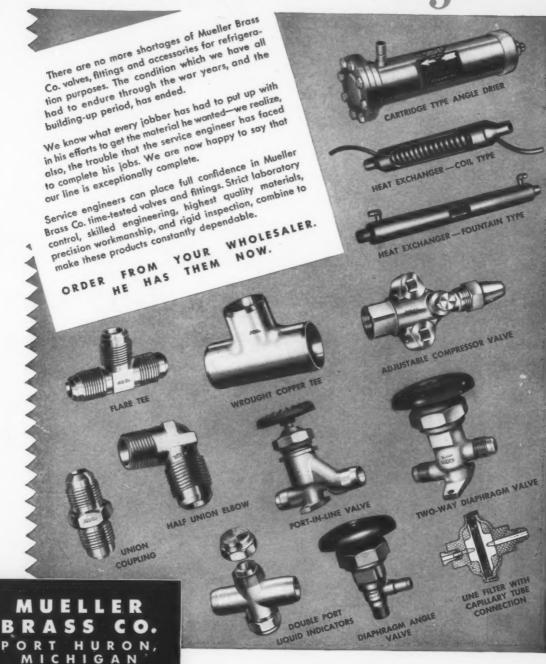
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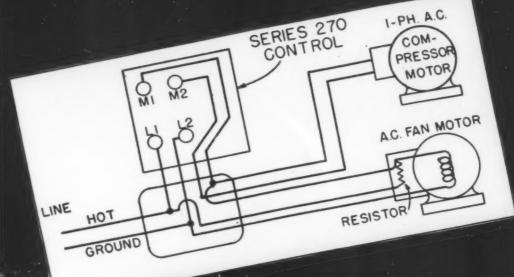
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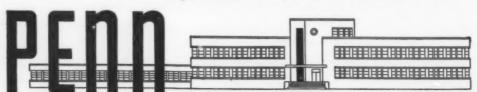


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● Carrier Holds "Open House". Carrier Corp. held Open House recently at its huge new plant in Syracuse, recently acquired from the War Assets Administration as part of its expansion program in the manufacture of air conditioning, refrigeration and industrial heating equipment. A crowd of about 20,000 persons visited the plant, to see the three 800-foot long assembly lines for producing centrifugal compressors, and an ultra-modern industrial painting job.

Interior walls are done head-high in deep maroon, with the upper 30 feet of wall space in cream, the ceiling white, all of the machines green, and all danger parts, such as crane hooks, colored burnt orange. The new plant adds 600,000 sq. ft. to Carrier's previous 1,000,000 sq. ft. space.

● The Outlook for Gas. Gas utility companies estimate that their sales and that of dealers in their territories will total 1,464,000 gas refrigerators in the three-year period 1947 to 1949 inclusive. This estimate, of course, assumes a sufficient supply of units to meet all demands.

By year, the estimate of gas refrigerator sales lines up as follows: 1947, 439,400 units; 1948, 501,200 units; 1949, 523,400 units. Utilities also estimate gas air conditioner sales of 3,400 units this year, 5,600 in 1948, and 7,700 in 1949.

• They're in the "Act," Too. This was an eyebrowraiser to us; perhaps it will be to you, too. According to Building Supply News, no less than 3,500 lumber and material dealers are supplying refrigerators and other appliances to builders and retailing them to consumers. The magazine estimates, also that about 94% of all builders buy their supplies through these dealers.

With new home building going ahead like blazes, the builder is a "buyer" that long-time refrigeration dealers simply can't afford to ignore. Have you been pushing this part of your prospect list as hard as you should? If not, you'd better.

• Putting Water Coolers to Work. Six hundred workers, and not one has to walk more than 50 feet to get a drink of cool, refreshing water. That's the way it is at the Columbus, Ohio, plant of Ranco, Inc. Spokesmen for water cooler manufacturer members of REMA point to the Ranco plant as an excellent example of a modern industrial plant properly equipped with water coolers. Ranco uses 14 ten-gallon bubbler type coolers scattered throughout its plant, from lobby and offices to assembly

lines and cafeteria. E. C. Raney, Ranco president, says the coolers pay out in increased efficiency of both shop and office employees. In these days of higher labor costs, water coolers can be real cost-cutters by helping to save time, improve health and morale, and upping worker efficiency.

Materials Handling: An Important Field. More than a dozen topics of interest to the refrigeration industry will be discussed at the Conference on Materials Handling which will be a feature of the second National Materials Handling Exposition to be held in the Cleveland Public Auditorium January 12 to 16. Major theme will be cost reduction through improved handling.

Discussions which will interest refrigeration men are: "Arranging Stock for Effective Handling"; "Handling Factors in Plant Layout"; "Planned Packing for Efficient Handling"; "Handling Unusual Shapes"; "Vertical, Horizontal and Inter-Floor Handling"; "Handling Bulk Products", and "When Manual Operations Pay".

HOTEL LINEUP FOR THE SHOW

Assignment of hotel rooms for the Fifth All-Industry Show and the various association meetings which have been scheduled in connection with the event has been set. All reservations are being cleared through the Cleveland Convention Bureau, and the various associations have been assigned to the following hotels:

REMA members and other exhibitors: Hotels Cleveland and Carter.

REWA members: Hotel Statler.
NARC members: Hotel Allerton.
RSES members: Hotel Hollenden.
NSCRA members: Auditorium Hotel.

By assigning association members to definite hotels, and handling all room assignments through a single office, duplications will be avoided and many more rooms made available for Show-goers.

Brochure on Psychrometry. Just made available by American Society of Refrigerating Engineers is the ASRE Brochure on Psychrometry, preprinted from the 1948 basic volume of the Refrigerating Data Book, and including data designed to simplify engineering calculations in psychrometry.

The new brochure has three complete charts covering the low, normal and high-temperature ranges. Copies may be had at \$1 each from ASRE headquarters, 40 West 40th St., New York City.

● A Real Food Bank. A Memphis, Tenn., locker plant, which terms itself "your food bank", is operating just like an actual bank—under supervision of the state banking department. In order to use the word "bank", the locker plant had to comply with state banking regulations, and it has enterprisingly turned its situation into a merchandising asset. Bonded tellers receive or disburse the customers' food. Customers aren't admitted to the food vaults, but are given statements of their food balance. Accounts of each customer's food supply are tabulated, just as would be the case in a bank.

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THE CASE FOR CANDY COOLING

A leading candy manufacturer points the way toward making candy retailing a more profitable year round operation through dramatic merchandising of the product in properly refrigerated display cabinets



A young customer beams approbation as a clerk in Hayek's drug store, Milwaukee, Wis., solves his gift problem by suggesting to him a box of properly preserved chocolates from the store's "air conditioned" candy case.

By John E. Hubel

M AKING more money from the sale of candy the year around is the business of the Robert A. Johnston Co. of Milwaukee and New York, one of the nation's larger candy manufacturers. And specially designed refrigerated display cases for the retail sale of Johnston confections now are playing a big part in helping this company to achieve its goal.

In the course of its 100 years in the candy business, the Johnston firm has seen and employed virtually every type of candy merchandising plan that has been developed during that time. Now, on the basis of its century of practical experience, the company has decided that the use of modernly styled, efficiently engineered, "air conditioned" display cases is the most

adequate answer to today's candy merchandising problems.

The refrigerated cabinet adopted by the Johnston firm is now being manufactured in quantity by the Manitowoc Equipment Works, a division of the Manitowoc Shipbuilding Co., which specialized in the construction of U-boats during World War II.

This cabinet has been thoroughly tested by the Johnston Company since the first of this year, and company executives report that the unit has performed with complete satisfaction. A decidedly increased volume of Johnston candies were merchandised through these cases installed in sev-

eral different types of retail establishments in various parts of the country during the test period.

Design of this particular case, it is reported, was started in 1942, but along with many other projects had to be shelved during the war years. Early this year the case was redesigned to meet postwar conditions and then placed in operational service on the field test basis previously mentioned.

A survey of Johnston candy distributors in all parts of the country has convinced the company that there is a potential market for 60,000 of the new refrigerated cabinets as eyecatching self-service display and merchandising units in such locations as drug stores, groceries, cigar stands, railroad stations and other transportation terminals, hotels, department stores, and any other locations where candy is sold.

The Johnston company's present market includes not only every state Continued on page 52

THE importance of refrigeration and air conditioning in the manufacture of chocolate coated confections was detailed in our October issue in a story entitled "A Sweet Installation". Now we're carrying this idea a step further by pointing out to you in this article how one major candy manufacturer is profitably applying the use of cooling equipment to his retailing setup as well.

HOW TO PREVENT DAMAGE TO INSULATION



1.

VERY good refrigeration contractor knows that it is to his own best interest to install his jobs in such a way that they will afford maximum service and satisfaction to his customers. One important opportunity for "job insurance" of this type which is frequently overlooked is the protection of exposed insulation in installations involving large refrigerated storage areas.

Damage to such insulation from wheeled trucks, abrasion, and ordinary wear and tear can be very costly to the owner of these refrigerated facilities. Punctures can cause leakage which will permit moisture penetration into the insulation, resulting in excessive refrigeration costs. Water collecting in these breaks will eventually destroy the insulation structure.

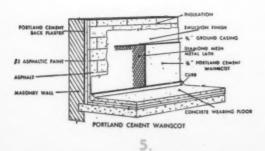
Prevention of this damage is comparatively easy and relatively inexpensive, especially if the work is done at the time of the original construction. The diagrams on these pages show the construction details of the various protective devices used today. Most of them can be readily added to existing installations at any time.

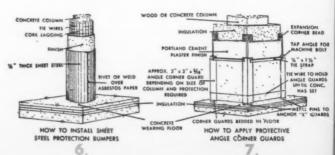
This shows how to apply a protective portland cement wainscot in a low-temperature room which has an asphalt emulsion finish. As a key to hold the portland cement plaster, diamond mesh metal lath is stapled to the insulation over the emulsion finish and topped with a cap strip.

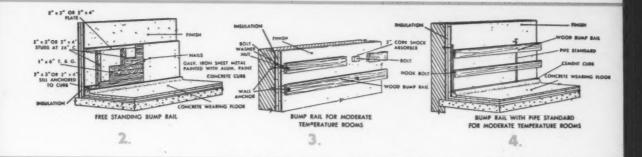
Columns are particularly subject to damage, and round columns usually are protected with sheet steel. The steel may be either riveted or welded. If welded, apply asbestos paper over the finish before the steel guards are put into place to prevent heat damage to the finish and insulation.

This is the diagram of a free standing bump rail covered with galvanized sheet metal. The 2 x 4-inch studs rest on a 2 x 4-inch sill embedded in the wearing floor. Studs are anchored by 2 x 4-inch blocking cut to length and wedged between each stud. Tongue and groove sheathing is nailed on and covered with the metal sheeting.

The corners of square columns usually are protected with iron angle guards approximately 3-feet high with expansion corner beads above the guards as high as desired. Angle irons embedded into the concrete wearing floor are bolted together at the top with the straps usually ¼-inch thick.



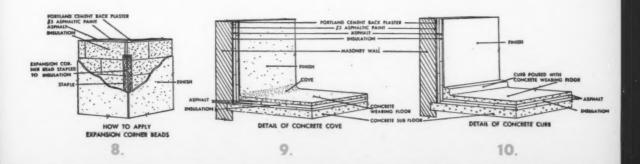




- This bump rail, constructed to protect a solid corkboard partition, is a variation of the one shown in Fig. 1. The only difference is that the wooden sill is securely fastened with anchor bolts to a concrete curb which in many cases is poured at the same time as the concrete wearing floor.
- Bump rail for moderate temperature rooms. Horizontal rails are anchored by bolts through the insulation into the masonry wall. A 2-inch piece of corkboard coated with asphalt or emulsion is slipped over each bolt, not only to act as a shock absorber but also to minimize frosting on the bolt.
- The wood members of this bump rail (also for moderate temperature rooms) fasten to pipe standards sunk into the concrete curb. The bolts at the top of the pipe standards are anchored into the masonry wall and the wood bump rails are fastened to the upright standards with hook bolts.

Editor's Note: Illustrations and explanatory material for this article were provided by the Building Materials Division of Armstrong Cork Co.

- This diagram shows how the expansion corner beads mentioned in the discussion of Fig. 7 are installed. Although the corner bead shown here is being used on the corner of a wall, construction details are the same when used on columns. Use sufficient staples to firmly anchor the beading.
- Concrete wearing floors should be slightly coved to the side walls to prevent moisture, which may collect on the floor, from seeping into the insulation at the juncture of the floor and wall. This is easily done when pouring the floor. Diagram indicates approximate degree of coving necessary.
- A concrete curb poured at the same time as the wearing floor will protect the finish and the insulation from many damaging blows from wheeled trucks and at the same time protect the insulation from water seepage. Curbs are usually 4 x 4 inches, unless unusual conditions prevail.





Pattern for

7omorrow's Meat Market?

The growing trend toward pre-packaging of fresh meats for self-service retail sale, and the tendency of corner butcher shops to install frozen food lockers in their stores, is exemplified in this Denver market

TYPICAL of one of the new trends in food merchandising—and one of the new profit opportunities for commercial refrigeration dealers—is the 100% refrigerated combination self-service meat market and locker plant operated by Duane Horney in Denver, Colo.

One of the most neatly "packaged" food retailing operations in the country, Horney's Locker Storage Co. is the realization of the "postwar dream" of Mr. Horney himself, who planned this combination setup while doing a stint with the U. S. Merchant Marine during the war. Basing his

decision on his 10 years of experience in operating conventional clerk-service butcher shops, Mr. Horney launches his new venture in January of this year.

His first step was to sell all of his former meat display cases and to replace them with a series of 12-foot open type self-service cases obtained from Behrens Fixture Co., a local manufacturer of such equipment. Each of these cabinets is equipped with its own 2-hp compressor and can be used to accomodate either meats or dairy products, according to the need. These cases are arranged back

An interested customer inspects a sample of the pre-packaged meats available in the Horney self-service market and locker plant.

to back down the center of the store's sales floor, with a single case set across the rear of the store to separate the self-service area from the meat cutting room.

This meat cutting room is fully equipped with meat saw, tenderizer, grinder, chopper, and other necessary paraphernalia for the pre-packaging of fresh meats. Also located in the rear of the store is a 12 x 16-foot walk-in cooler capable of holding seven sides of beef, and a 16 x 20-foot walk-in which also is used for bulk storage of meats.

Three butchers now cut and package a sufficient quantity of meats to maintain a sales volume of around \$190 per day throughout the week and upwards of \$250 on weekends. Packaging, after many experiments and mistakes, has been solved with M.S.A.T. 80 and M.S.T. cellophane, heat sealed and heat labeled around each cut of meat.

The Horney organization makes no charge for the cellophane packaging of the meats which it retails under the self-service plan, figuring that the added weight on the scale will cover the cost. And besides, they are just a bit leery of further affronting cus-



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Red Hot Refrigeration



It was a hot spot, before refrigeration—but now the operator of this crane cab at Ford's River Rouge plant works in complete comfort as the temperature outside spars to 150.5

USING air instead of the usual water for condensing purposes, an "air-conditioning" unit in the cab of a 250-ton stripper and extractor crane at the River Rouge plant of the Ford Motor Company permits the operator to perform his duties in complete comfort while the temperature outside the cab soars to 150 F.

Industry has long been confronted with the extreme conditions under which operators of cranes handling hot metal have to work. Not only are the temperatures very high, but often there also are noxious fumes, gases and dust.

For years attempts have been made to alleviate these conditions, but a moving cab, under such extreme conditions, presented many problems. Large fans were tried, but they gave very little temperature relief. Wetted burlap was hung over the fan's intake, and while this cooled the air a few degrees it did not remove the fumes and gases. The practice also involved lost time in supplying sufficient water in the moving cab.

Thanks to mechanical cooling equipment, operators of hot metal cranes—premiumwage workmen—now can work a full eighthour day in comfort despite outside temperatures that often reach 150 F. What's more, they feel better than they used to after only brief exposure to the steam, heat, fumes and vapor they formerly had to battle. Here's another "first" for refrigeration in solving what used to be a tough problem

To improve upon this plan, air was blown over cakes of ice, but the disposal of water resulting from melting ice added another problem. Besides, the ice melted quickly and time was again lost in replenishing it.

The first real attempt at "air-conditioning" crane cabs was in the use of dry ice. This was more effective than earlier attempts, but it offered no control over the temperature and still did not remove the fumes and gases. Later, air conditioning units employing water for condensing purposes were built, but these were bulky and comparatively inefficient. The water in the storage tank built on top of the cab would become so warm that it was almost impossible to condense the refrigerant.

In 1943, Dravo Corp. of Pittsburgh developed an installation that used air as a condensing medium and required only electrical connections for operation. Fume removal equipment also was incorporated in the unit. The need for ice, water, water storage tanks and piping, with their high maintenance costs and lost time, was eliminated.

A typical installation of this Dravo equipment is that at Ford's River Rouge plant where the crane handles red hot ingots.

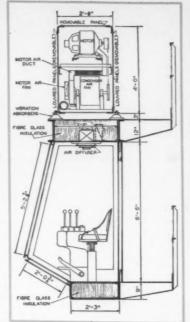
The cab itself was specially designed and built to afford good insulation as well as full vision for the operator. All four sides of the cab are shielded with two pieces of sur-

face hardened plate glass set one-half inch apart. The outer glass also is heat absorbing. This construction represents a reduction of approximately 37% of the normal amount of heat transmitted by conduction through the glass area, exclusive of the radiant energy of the hot steel being handled. The effectiveness of the glass insulation increases as the temperature of the operation increases. The floor and roof of the cab incorporate hollow compartments packed with fibre glass for insulation.

This construction of the cab permits a temperature of 85 F to be maintained during the cooling season when subjected to 135 F ambient temperature, and 70 F during the heating season when the outside

temperature is 0 F.

The air conditioning unit built by Dravo for this cab was designed to meet these performance requirements and also provide the means for removing fumes, gases and dirt from the air supplied to the cab. In 1943 Dravo had constructed an air conditioning unit using air for condensing purposes for a crane operating over lead vats. This is believed to be the first installation in which air was used instead of water. The results of these experiences brought out the basic fact that a practical unit had to be rugged and heavily constructed, and that the cooler should have capac-



Cross-section view of the Dravo crane cab cooler, showing how the conditioning equipment is mounted atop the cab. It supplies cooling in summer, heat in winter.

ity greatly in excess of the theoretical calculated capacity.

The frame of the cooler for Ford's stripper crane cab is composed of $3 \times \frac{1}{4}$ -inch angles with $4 \times \frac{11}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$ -

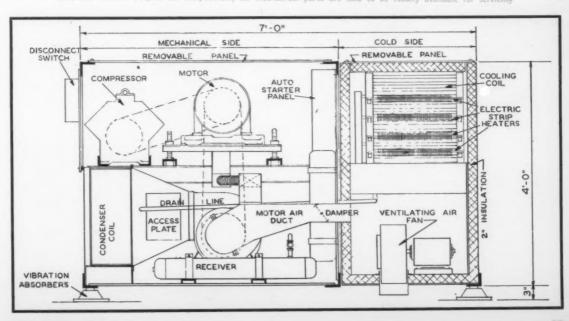
inch channel horizontal supports, all of welded construction. The entire cooler is supported at each corner on shock absorbers to assist in relieving the vibration, shock, and jarring to which the equipment is subjected.

The cooler is divided into two compartments, the cold side in which the air supplied to the cab is conditioned, and the mechanical side in which is located the refrigeration equipment, compressor motor, contactors, and starters.

The cold side is a box insulated with 2 inches of fibre glass. Approximately 100 cfm of make-up air is introduced into the unit through a dust filter and also through activated carbon cannisters for removing fumes and gases. This make-up air mixes with approximately 300 cfm of recirculated air and passes over the cooling coil into the ventilating air fan which operates continuously. A total of 400 cfm of air is discharged through an air diffuser into the cab, and since only 300 cfm is returned to the cooler, a pressure is built up within the cab.

An air diffuser was selected that would permit a sufficient air movement along the inside face surfaces of the cab in order to create a cooling effect and also to reduce the radiant effect generated by abnormally high temperatures. Also it had to give a Continued on page 50

Here is a longitudinal section view through the crane cab cooler, showing relative locations of "mechanical" and "cold" sides. "Cold" side has 2" of fibre glass insulation, and has filter and activated carbon cannisters for removal of dust and fumes. Despite its compactness, all mechanical parts are said to be readily available for servicing.



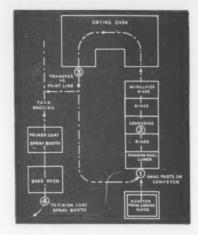
WHAT YOU Don't SEE ...

THE extent to which manufacturers of refrigeration equipment go to insure high quality in their finished products is shown in these pictures taken in the plant of Seeger Refrigerator Co., St. Paul. By phosphate-coating refrigerator cabinets prior to application of the white enamel exterior finish, they are protected to a high degree from the usual corrosive influences of the kitchen, the staining effects of light and heat, and the spread of rust beyond areas exposed by accidental damage of the enamel. The practice also effectively conditions the metal surface for good paint adhesion. At Seeger, the chemical used for phosphate coating is cold spray "Granodine", a product of the American Chemical Paint Co.

Key points in the process are illustrated in the flow diagram at right. Numbers indicate those steps which are pictured on these pages.

There is a "quality story" that the buyer doesn't see in the finished product. It's a good point to bring out in your sales presentations.

*Trade Mark Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.





In STEP 1, shown at left, refrigerator shells and other component parts, after being formed on the ground floor, move on a conveyor line to the floor above for finishing, entering first the emulsion-alkali cleaning chamber. Here the parts are treated to give them a chemically clean surface, so that the coating chemicals to be applied later function most uniformly and efficiently.

Inherent cleaning action of the emulsion-alkali cleaner is augmented by the impingement of spray under pressure, which removes oil, grease, gross surface oil and other contaminants remaining after the forming operations. The entire metal treating process is an automatic operation, the parts moving at a speed which permits about a one-minute exposure to spray impingement in each chamber.





After rinsing to remove all possible traces of alkali, the work enters the phosphate-coating chamber (shown in STEP 2 at right). As the work comes in contact with the coating spray, a chemical reaction occurs which transforms the entire metal surface into a film composed of millions of tiny crystals whose slight irregularities constitute an effective grip or "tooth" for the enamel.

The "Granodizing' coating spray used here can be applied at temperatures ranging from 110 to 115 F and a satisfactory coating developed in a minute, it is claimed, economizing in steam consumed and heating facilities required. Also, since the coating solution does not give off rust-stimulating vapors, there is less tendency toward blushing if the work is stalled in the humid spray booth.

A clean water rinse follows the coating process, after which comes an acidulated rinse in which the pH is adjusted to counteract alkali present in main water and to cause the metal surface, on drying, to be slightly acid—a favorable condition for satisfactory paint adhesion.

At the exit orifice of the power spray washer, the refrigerator parts emerge briefly into the open and then pass directly to the drying oven, an oil-fired direct heat unit maintained at 350 F and shown in STEP 3 at right. The enclosed passage of the drying unit makes a U-turn and the parts which come from it are transferred from the process line to the finishing line.





Parts are next given a primer coat of enamel, which is baked on at 380 F in an oven heated by a two-stage indirect oil-fired and gas combination heating unit. After being cooled as shown in STEP 4 and tack-ragged to remove dust, parts enter the finish coat spray both, where they undergo treatment and baking similar to that employed for the primer coatings.

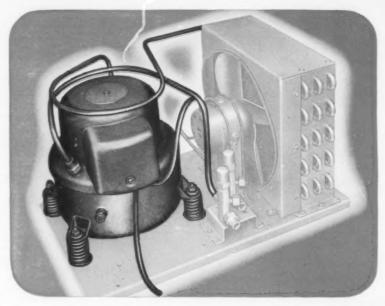
Finished and inspected, the parts are sent on to the assembly lines where, as shown below, they are assembled into display cases and reach-in cabinets, ready for shipment.



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COMMERCIAL Refrigerator SALES NEWS

While The Refrigeration Industry is not the official publication of the National Commercial Refrigerator Sales Assn., the Editors assign this space each month to the association. The information below is furnished, for the most part, by the offices of the association and its local affiliates.

Modernize Your Display Floor If You Want More Business, NCRSA Urges

By R. H. Muehlberg Executive Secretary National Commercial Refrigerator Sales Association

OUCCESSFUL distributors and dealers of commercial refrigerator equipment have long known that today's prospect for such equipment is wisely becoming "modern store" minded.

He has had a first-hand opportunity to actually see the many advantages and steady increase in customers and business that modern merchandising methods and modern stores can produce. He has also had the advance benefit of knowing and seeing the efficiency with which the large super-markets and chain stores handle patrons through self-service displays and attractive floor layouts in his own city or community.

Thus, when shopping for new equipment, his mind will try to visualize just how the item will appear on his store floor, or behind his store counters. He must be able to picture the equipment from a standpoint of both efficiency and attractiveness in his own place of business.

Distributors and dealers of commercial

refrigerator equipment can do much to emphasize and instill in the mind of the buyer the efficiency and attractiveness of such items by reproducing, in part, modern store layouts in their own salesrooms.

On a recent trip covering four states, calls were made at some 50 commercial refrigerator outlets. Of the entire group, only one salesroom was attractive and suggested the new trend of modern merchandising methods from the buyer's point of view.

The majority of salesrooms visited were, for the most part, a combined office and storage space for the refrigerator equipment the firm handled. No effort had been made to display items properly, or to suggest additional purchases to the prospect, through any kind of salesroom modernization.

A Hazard, Not a Help

In a large number of instances, the showroom of the dealer created more of a sales hazard than a selling help. Dirt and grease, carelessly smeared on refrigerator cases while unpacking, still remained. No attempt had been made to remove it before placing the item on the display room floor.

Self-service cases at the rear of the store, or against the wall, were covered with dust



NCRSA vice-president H. B. Adams, owner of Adams Refrigeration Co., Inc., Tampa, Fla., demonstrates the placing of refrigerator equipment in his modernized showroom in that city.

and dirt accumulated after many days without either wiping or dusting. Used motors, pipe and miscellaneous parts cluttered the floor. At one such salesroom, an out-of-town buyer's wife was heard to remark, "This place looks more like a junk shop".

Display rooms and salesrooms of commercial refrigerator dealers and distributors such as this are typical throughout the country. They have entirely neglected to see the asset and advantage a clean, modern showroom would be in the marketing of such items.

In many places of business, the floors were so littered with service parts and old, greasy motors, that the prospect, intending to buy a refrigerator case, would have to be completely sold on the item before entering the store and then an expert high-jumper to be able to reach the case of his choice.

It is not the intention of the NCRSA to criticise the sales methods employed by any commercial refrigerator distributor or deal-

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NCRSA president George B. Herman demonstrates the advantages of his modern store display arrangement to R. H. Muehlberg, executive secretary, and Mike Bockmann, salesman for Allied Store Equipment Co., Minneapolis,



Showroom of the Midwest Equipment Co., Minneapolis, is shown above. Modern selling is the theme of this firm, with actual displays of items so that prospects can see the equipment from all angles of the display room.

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(May we suggest that you tack this postal on the wall near your refrigerator for quick reference.)

Postcards like this, sent to prospects as well as customers of both sales and service departments, plug the firm's 24-hour service facilities. Similar copy is used in newspapers.

By Grier Lowry

Hub of the Memphis Refrigeration Co's operations is its service department. Here Charles R. Cox is shown at the service bench, while Ernest Cox works on a malfunctioning radio and L. L. Diffee repairs a faulty freezer.



Or how one enterprising Mem building an aggressive merch the rock-sound foundation of it

PROMPT and reliable service is the key to profitable refrigeration selling, in the opinion of Charles E. Hendricks. And Mr. Hendricks has rather effectively proven his point by using just this formula in building the highly successful business of the Memphis Refrigeration Co., of which he is president.

This firm specializes in both household and commercial refrigeration service and sales, but rounds out its business by also selling and repairing heating equipment and a full line of appliances, both large and small. Or-

This exterior view of the company's head vitalized sales and display facilities. This n a widespread reputa



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ganized in 1942 it has developed steadily, following closely along the lines of its firmly established policy, until now it is definitely a factor to be reckoned with in the refrigeration picture in this metropolitan Tennessee community.

Not long ago the company fittingly celebrated its growth and its progress by completely modernizing its show-room facilities and by launching an intensified merchandising program aimed at carrying the firm to even greater heights—and correspondingly increased profits. But despite this

Mr. Hendricks faithfully follows his policy of calling all new service customers to thank them for their patronage—and to lay the groundwork for future sales of equipment.

new emphasis on sales, the service end of the business is being anything but neglected, for Mr. Hendricks has never forgotten for an austant that this is the cornerstone upon which his business success has been largely built.

One of the highlights of the showroom remodeling was the provision for completely segregated display facilities for commercial and household refrigeration equipment. Mr. Hendricks deliberately arranged to house these two sales divisions in separate sales rooms, for he firmly believes that prospects for these two types of equipment are distinctly different in their buying habits and consequently should be handled in different ways.

No effort was spared in making the new sales rooms attractive as well as efficient. Walls were painted in re-

ters shows the location of the firm's reemphasis on sales follows years of building for reliable service.



Sales and service employees of Memphis Refrigeration Co. rub shoulders literally as well as figuratively as the Hendricks organization lines up for this staff photo. The boss, C. E. Hendricks himself, is second from the right.



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freshing pastel shades of blue. Fluorescent lighting was provided, with spotlighting on featured items changed from day to day. Convenient desks and seating facilities were installed to facilitate salesman-customer discussions. Private compartments were provided for handling detailed credit arrangements.

Despite all this recent accent on merchandising, however, no one realizes more clearly than Mr. Hendricks how completely the success of his entire sales program hinges upon the continuance of the dependable repair service which he has been offering to Memphis refrigeration users ever since he first formed his own company.

Service On-the-Job

The service shop of the Memphis Refrigeration Co. measures only 20 x 20 feet, but it is manned by five capable mechanics and is equipped with a lathe, a drill press, grinding machine, welding outfit, vises, pipe cutters and threaders, tap and die set, gas drums, paint sprays, air compressors, and a complete array of hand tools.

Far larger shop facilities normally would be required for the volume of service work handled by this company, except for the fact that about 80% of all service work is performed on the job. Mr. Hendricks has built up quite a reputation for this on-the-spot repair work. In completely equipped service trucks, his maintenance crew has continually dispensed a prompt and effective brand of service that has resulted in the establishment of a friendly beachhead on which the newly enlarged

CREDIT WHERE IT'S DUE

In presenting our November Success Story, "It Happened in Monterey", we inadvertently overlooked crediting Bert Holyoake, manager of the San Francisco store of the California Refrigerator Co., with supplying the information for this most interesting article. We sincerely regret our oversight, and take this belated means of acknowledging Mr. Holyoake's fine cooperation and thanking him for a job well done.

The Editors.

Refrigerated "Will-Call"

NE of the worst problems of the working wife—how to shop for fresh vegetables, scarce butter, lard, etc., when most of these have been snapped up by her housewife sisters long before she is through with the day's job—is being solved at Lewis Food Stores, Riverside, Calif., through an ingenious "refrigerated will-call service".

Under this plan, each of the Lewis stores provides a 60 cu. ft. reachin refrigerator space, in which perishable food products may be stored through the day. Thus the wife who works downtown may hustle into the store early in the morning, grab those commodities which she normally has no chance to buy, and "check" them to be picked up on her return trip in the evening. The idea has proven a godsend to many thousands of young married couples cooking at home.

To make such service possible, a standard reach-in dairy refrigerator was relocated in a center wall of the store, so that one side faces into the grocery department, the other into a side aisle. Six 2x4 foot doors were cut into the back of the refrigerator, wooden shelves applied, and the whole enclosure painted white with a sign lettered "Refrigerated Will-Call Service—See floor hostess or checking stand."

From 35 to 75 women per day, depending upon the items offered, are making use of the plan at present. Both perishable food stuffs and other items are stored in the refrigerator, to save repackaging and extra trouble. All are kept refrigerated to 40 degrees, so that they will be in perfect condition when the owner picks them up.

The hostess on hand for just such services at the Lewis store handles the entire operation.

and enlivened sales staff can now land with telling force.

Two prime factors have been largely responsible for the effectiveness of Mr. Her lricks' service policy. "First and foremost," he points out, "is our 24-hour emergency service. This is not performed in a disgruntled, sleepy, inefficient fashion. We go all out in our effort to handle every 3 a.m. call just as promptly and as cheerfully as if it were a 3 p.m. call."

The other service policy which has been so instrumental in building good will for this Memphis firm is the offering of monthly service contracts on a fixed fee basis to commercial customers such as groceries, restaurants, and night clubs. Mr. Hendricks explains it this way: "This contract service agreement includes regular monthly inspections and adjustments, as well as any repairs that may be necessary. Our fee covers all labor; the customer bears the expense of any new parts required.

"This contract servicing is an ideal arrangement, and we're plugging it for all its worth. Chief benefit is that it enables us to maintain a steady, year-around service volume. It cushions us against the problem of the seasonal slump in service calls during the winter and the corresponding deluge which usually occurs the minute that summer's hot weather starts.

"By the same token, this practice has enabled us to maintain an efficient, full-strength service staff the year around. Thus we have been able to eliminate one of the worst bugaboos of the refrigeration service business—seasonal layoffs."

Service versus Sales

In a way, Mr. Hendricks' competent service crew is the most formidable competitor of his sales department. So efficient and reliable is the maintenance work which they perform that in many cases old pieces of equipment keep operating much longer than they normally would, thus somewhat diminishing the immediate prospect for new equipment sales. Mr. Hendricks isn't fretting over this aspect of his business, however, for he well realizes that this reputation for good service will eventually pay off. And he knows full

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REFRIGERATION INDUSTRY

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SEEGER WITHDRAWS FROM DISTRIBUTING COMMERCIAL LINES

Seeger Refrigerator Co., St. Paul, is withdrawing from the distribution of commercial refrigeration equipment. One of the oldest names in the refrigerator cabinet making field, Seeger produces the Coldspot household refrigerator merchandised by Sears, and also has made some commercial refrigerator lines which were distributed by other firms in the industry.

A Seeger official reported that the company had recently sent a letter to distributors and dealers advising them that its merchandise would not be available to them after the present production.

He said that the company had not been able to supply any of its customers with display cases, and that only a portion of reach-in requirements had been filled, because of a raw materials bottleneck.

The company, rather than have distributors and dealers continue to depend on it for merchandise which it is unable to supply, felt that it should withdraw its line and let these outlets obtain franchises from commercial outlets who may be in a better position to take care of this business, the Seeger official said.

STERLING SMITH IS NEW "RECOLD" AGENT

Sterling F. Smith has been appointed direct factory representative in the eastern and midwestern section of the country for Refrigeration Engineering, Inc. of Los Angeles, in that company's bid for nation-wide distribution of its "Recold" refrigeration products.

Mr. Smith, long an executive in the commercial refrigeration field, recently resigned as general sales manager of Baker Ice Machine Co. to form his own sales organization under the name of Sterling Refrigeration Products. He has established headquarters in the Barr Building, Washington, D.C., from which he will direct the sales and distribution of "Recold" products.

THIS MAKES IT OFFICIAL!



"Rema", the penguin at the Cleveland zoo, solemnly accepts the special invitation to the 5th All-Industry Show which is being tendered him by F. J. Hood, chairman of the Show committee. The Show (just as if you didn't know) will be held Jan. 26-29 in the Cleveland Public Auditorium.

PROGRESS MADE ON COMM'L STANDARDS

Representatives of a dozen leading corporations in the refrigeration field have reported progress in the creation of a set of minimum standards for open type condensing units up to and including 5 hp in size.

Indications were that the standards might be com-pleted and approved before the end of 1947, following another meeting of the Industry Joint Engineering Committee at Swampscott, Mass. Bringing together men from both ACRMA and REMA, the Swampscott session was the second in his-tory at which representatives of groups covering the entire refrigeration machine industry were able to meet and work in complete unity for a common purpose. (See photo on page 47.)

At Swampscott the committee members had before them a preliminary draft of the new set of minimum standards. They spent an entire day going over them,

item by item and paragraph by paragraph. In their revised form the standards will be sent to all interested parties for further comment or approval.

A third meeting of the Industry Joint Engineering Committee will then be called, probably before the year's end, to put the standards into final form.

NEMA AUGUST SALES DROP TO 213,901

World sales of household electric refrigerators by 11 manufacturers reporting to the household refrigeration section of National Electrical Manufacturers Association totaled 213,901 units in August, a substantial drop from the 277,70 units reported in July.

Total world sales for the eight months were 1,968,-792. More than half the total of sales reported this year were in the 7 cu. ft. size, with the aggregate in this classification being 1.-148,645. Sales in the 9 and 10 cu. ft. sizes totaled 359,-282 for the eight-month period.

172 FIRMS SIGN FOR EXHIBIT SPACE AT ALL-INDUSTRY SHOW

Addition of seven new companies to the roster of exhibitors at the 5th All-Industry Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Exposition, which will be held Jan. 26-29 in Cleveland's Public Auditorium, boosts the total rumber of exhibitors to 172, despite a pair of newly announced cancellations. Headquarters of Refrigeration E q uip ment Manufacturers Association, sponsor of the show, reports that the exposition is a complete sellout.

The seven new exhibitors scheduled are: Wagner Electric Corp.; Liberty Motors & Engineering Corp.; Crown Refrigerator Corp.; Remco, Inc.; Halstead & Mitchell; A. O. Smith Corp.; United Cork Co.

WEBER DELIVERIES UNHALTED BY FIRE

A three-alarm fire which caused approximately \$300,000 damage at the Weber Showcase & Fixture Co., Inc., on Oct. 25 affected only a minor storage warehouse at the millwork division of the company, according to Karl Weber, President. Main plant and offices, two blocks away, where store fixtures and refrigeration equipment are produced, were not involved in the fire. None of the company's production facilities were damaged in this fire, the only major loss in Weber's 50 years in business.

"Many customers, hearing of the fire," said Mr. Weber, "have become concerned about delivery of their orders for equipment. The fire has in no way impaired our ability to produce and ship equipment according to schedule."

NEW N. C. DEALER

Batts Refrigeration Sales Co. has been established in Durham, N. C. as a refrigeration equipment dealership. Authorized capital stock is \$25,000 and incorporators are Edna W. Batts and H. H. Thacker, of Durham, and Beulah B. Dickerson, of Raleigh, N. C.

JAHCO TAKES TO THE FIELD



John S. Mackinlay (center) and Jack Clarke (operating controls), Jack & Heintz service engineers, answer questions about glass evaporators during an RSES meeting in Cleveland which lead off a series of eight such "educational entertainment" programs staged by the company throughout the midwestern and southern states. Scheduled in cooperation with six of Jahco's authorized wholesalers and two trade associations, this series of meetings is aimed simply at carrying the story of the company's condensing units into the field.

COMMERCIAL TERMS TO HOLD TIGHT

A quick check of commercial refrigerator producers indicates that the ending of government-regulated time payment terms is unlikely to result in any loosening of credit. The government regulation never actually covered commercial equipment, and so sales in this field are not expected to be affected by the shift.

Suggested terms during the past two years have been 25% down and 18 months to pay, a tightening of the previous average of 20% down and 24 months, but looser than in some cases during wartime when 30% down and 12 months were being asked by some concerns. Relaxation to the 20% down and 24 months basis would still be sound, industry men believe.

Less commercial equipment than usual is being sold on terms today, it is reported, since a great deal of it is going for replacement and market operators are in excellent financial position, often paying cash for their new equipment. With new outlets, terms are used, however, and can be important as selling points.

NEW REWA MEMBER

Refrigeration & Appliance Parts Co., 162 Court St., Charleston, W. Va., has been elected to membership in Refrigeration Equipment Wholesalers Association. President of the new member firm is J. S. Haight. Other officers are: J. F. Williams, vice president; W. P. Miller, secretary; and V. V. Chaney, treasurer.

PHILCO NET PROFIT CONTINUES TO RISE

Net income from operations of Philco Corp. in the second quarter of 1947 totaled \$1,626,974 after all taxes and charges including an inventory reserve of \$1,200,000, and reserve for future research expenditures, and was equivalent, after preferred dividends, to \$1.12 per share of common stock.

In addition, there was net non-recurring income of \$798,147 after taxes, or 58 cents per common share, so that total earnings for the quarter amounted to \$2,425,121, or \$1.70 per share after preferred dividends.

In the first quarter of 1947, net income totaled \$1,609,754 after taxes and charges including an inventory reserve of \$1,300,000, and was equivalent to \$1.10 per share of common stock after allowing for preferred dividends.

In the second quarter of 1946, when operations were just beginning to recover from reconversion difficulties, net income amounted to \$14,787.

Net income in the first six months of 1947 amounted to \$4,034,874 and was equivalent to \$2.80 per share of Philco common stock, after allowing for preferred dividends, as compared with a net lose of \$54,684 in the first half of 1946.

Sales (including excise taxes) of Philo Corp in the second quarter of 1947 amounted to \$57,754,000.

BANKRUPTCY OK'D FOR COOLING FIRM

Petition of American Thermal Industries, Inc., Detroit manufacturer of packaged air conditioning units, for reorganization and relief under Chapter X of the Bankruptcy Act has been approved, and an order has been filed in the U. S. District Court for eastern Michigan temporarily continuing the debtor in possession of its properties and authorizing the debtor to operate its business pending further order by the court.

On December 1 a hearing will be held before this court to determine whether or not the court shall continue the debtor in possession or appoint a trustee.

FAJANS NAMED NEW REWA SECRETARY

Irving J. Fajans has been appointed secretary of the Refrigeration Equipment Wholesalers Association for the remainder of the present fiscal year, replacing R. L. Hinshaw, who has resigned as secretary and a director of the organization due to the pressure of business conditions.

Members of REWA's Region 9 have nominated N. W. Edwards, general manager of Refrigerating & Power Specialties Co., San Francisco, to fill Mr. Hinshaw's unexpired term as director.

2nd WESTERN SHOW DATES ARE SET

Second annual Western Refrigeration Educational Exhibit and conference sponsored by the California Association of Refrigeration Service Engineers will be held in the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, April 30 through May 2.

David Fagg is general chairman of the conference, assisted by W. E. Wharton, coordinating chairman; Rowland F. Cooke, entertainment and arrangements; M. B. Willis, contracts, and C. L. Rusten, publicity. J. Pat Riley is president of the state RSES group sponsoring the event, which last year attracted over 3,000 persons.

GEMCO NAMES FIVE NEW REGION HEADS

Five new regional sales managers have been appointed by Norman B. Schreiber, new board chairman and general manager of General Engineering & Mfg. Co. These men, each with a staff of assistants, will work with the company's national distributor and dealer organization.

The new regional managers, and their respective territories are: M. W. Nerius, West Coast; Chester H. Fox, north central; C. J. LeMaster, south central; Harry B. Osmundsen, northeast; Charles J. Davis, southeast.

YES, GIRLS-IT'S THE NEW 'WATER BOY'



Flown to Detroit by "Capitaliner", the first Norge "water boy" portable water cooler to be produced in the company's Chattanooga, Tenn. plant is trundled off the airport by model Diane Milne and hostess Mary Jane Ives. Production of this unit at present is still on a pilot line basis.

Air Conditioning Equipment and Components and Accessories for Air Conditioning and Commercial Refrigeration Equipment: Summary of Shipments by Major Class of Product, Second Quarter 1947

Product	Second Quarter 1947 — Shipments of Complete Units					
	Total		Domestic†		Export;	
	No.	Value (dollars)	No.	Value (dollars)	No.	Value (dollars)
	Section I—Components and Accessories					
Total Condensing units Ammonia refrigerants. Refrigerants except ammonia Air cooled Open type Hermetic type Water cooled	319,542 438 319,104 308,017 140,534 167,483 11,087	49,722,318 23,697,656 533,470 23,164,186 18,897,124 12,257,495 6,639,629 4,267,062	302,451 395 302,056 292,060 126,585 165,475 9,996	45,853,740 21,702,375 488,132 21,214,243 17,362,437 10,867,251 6,495,186 3,851,806	17,091 43 17,048 15,957 13,949 2,006 1,091	3,868,578 1,995,281 45,338 1,949,943 1,534,687 1,390,244 144,443 415,256
Compressors and compressor units Ammonia refrigerants Refrigerants except ammonia	181,624 1,118 180,506	10,124,653 2,152,382 7,972,271	172,181 935 171,246	9,190,434 1,670,631 7,519,803	9,443 183 9,260	934,219 481,751 452,468
Centrifugal refrigeration machines	71	1,558,179	58	1,378,533	13	179,646
Heat exchanger equipment. Evaporative condensers. Unit coolers. Air conditioning Refrigeration. Other heat exchanger equipment §.	1,548 42,815 5,087 37,728	14,341,830 1,856,392 5,668,164 1,767,027 3,901,137 6,817,274	1,467 39,676 4,796 34,880	13,582,398 1,777,389 5,306,883 1,701,872 3,605,011 6,498,126	81 3,139 291 2,848	759,432 79,003 361,281 65,155 296,126 319,148
	Section II—Self-Contained Air Conditioning Units and Ice Making Machines					
Self-contained air conditioning units. Room type	25,240 18,397 6,843	10,626,892 4,056,034 6,570,858	23,274 16,799 6,475	9,767,959 3,486,851 6,281,108	1,966 1,598 368	858,933 569,183 289,750
Ice making machines	973	517,099	897	489,861	76	27,238

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COMM'L CREDIT SETS **NEW FINANCE TERMS**

Terms for the financing of new and used cars and home appliances, now that Regulation W has expired, have been announced by

Commercial Credit Corp. Regulation W was the Federal wartime restriction on instalment purchases of a large number of articles frequently bought on the instalment plan. Designed to conserve critical materials and to act as a brake on inflation during the war. its abolition was ordered by the last Congress as of November 1.

Carrying out its an-nounced policy of "encouraging the use of reasonable instalment terms in order to sell merchandise and in opposition to the practice of selling terms instead of merchandise," Howard L. Wynegar, president of Commercial Credit has disclosed that the new terms modify somewhat those set up by the Federal Reserve Board when Regulation W was in effect

Minimum down payments on new cars remain at onethird of the selling price, monthly payments spread over a maximum of 24 months, Mr. Wynegar said.

All home appliances except radios carry a minimum of 20% down payment with a maximum of 36 months in which to pay.

MISSOURI GROUP IN ADVERTISING DRIVE

Air conditioning and refrigeration firms in St. Joseph, Mo., who formed an association two years have started an advertising campaign in newspapers to inform the public of their work and aims.

The organization, known as the Refrigeration Association of St. Joseph, is composed of sales and service organizations, salesmen, wholesalers, and dealers of refrigeration and air conditioning equipment. Present officers are Fred Donovan, president; John Stilgenbauer, vice president; Tom Hodgen, secretary, and Harold Walters, treasurer. Merle Murray is chairman of a three-man board of directors.

COOLING SHIPMENTS TOTAL \$49 MILLION

Shipments of components and accessories for air conditioning and commercial refrigeration equipment were valued at \$49.7 mil-lion during the second quarter of 1947, according to Bureau of the Census figures. This brings shipments for the first half of the year to \$95.5 million.

Second quarter shipments were an increase of over the first quarter shipments, which totaled \$45.8 million.

Most classes of components and accessories and complete air conditioning equipment continued to in-Major increases crease. were as follows:

Condensing units, from \$22.2 million in the first quarter to \$24.0 million in the second quarter; compressors and compressor units, 22%, from \$8.3 million to \$10.1 million; heat exchanger equipment, 7%, from \$13.4 million to \$14.3 million; and selfcontained air conditioning units, 16%, from \$9.2 million to \$10.6 million.

Two items showed creases: Centrifugal refrigmachines, eration 15% from \$1.8 million to \$1.6 million; and ice making machines, 60%, from \$1.3 million to \$0.5 million. Seventy-three manufacturers of components and accessories and complete air conditioning equipment ported in the survey, and estimates were made for a few more firms that did not submit reports in time.

Second-quarter shipment figures are shown in the adjoining table.

INDUSTRY EXECUTIVES COOPERATE IN FORMING COMMERCIAL CODE



Present at the Swampscott meeting were these 15 top industry executives. Left to right they are: Henry A. Brysselbout, York Corp.; Clyde Plaeger, Servel, Inc.; George R. Kingston, Kelvinator Div.; A. B. Newton, Airtemp Div.; Carl Ehrenhardt, General Electric Co.; J. L. Gibson, Frigidaire Div.; Ted Benson, Frigidaire Div.; W. E. Landmesser, York Corp.; Lars Hanson, Carrier Corp.; Leonard C. Bastian, Air Conditioning & Refrigerating Machinery Association, Inc.; Oscar Buschmann, Copeland Refrigeration Corp.; George Davis, Lynch Mfg. Corp.; Alfred D. Sullivan, Brunner Mfg. Co.; Frank K. Smith, Tecumseh Products Co.; Mark E. Mooney, Carrier Corp. The story of their progress appears on page 45.

NERA PLANNING JANUARY MEETING

National Electrical Retailers Association will conduct a national conference of retailers of appliances and radios in the Sheraton Hotel, Chicago, on Jan. 19-21, 1948, according to C. C. Simpson, managing director.

Subjects scheduled for discussion include manufacturer-distributor relations, service, sales promotion, business efficiency, trade-ins, rural electrification, installations, and expansion of NERA and NERA services.

WILSON LAUNCHES PROMOTION DRIVE

Plans are under way for the most extensive program of advertising and sales promotion in the history of Wilson Refrigeration, Inc., a division of Wilson Cabinet Co., Inc., Smyrna, Delaware, according to an announcement by Charles R. Mougey, sales promotion and advertising manager. The program will be aimed at development of new sales and advertising support for the company's line of farm and home freezers, refrigerators and milk coolers.

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At the same time, Mr.
Mougey announced the appointment of The Aitkin-Kynett Co. of Philadelphia
to direct the company's new
advertising program.

COMML. CREDIT NETS \$3 MILLION IN 6 MO.

Commercial Credit Co. has reported consolidated net income of \$3,308,556.02 for the first six months of 1947, compared with \$1,908,688.81 for the same period in 1946. This latter figure, however, included transfer of \$1,100,000 from reserve for contingencies, which was fully stored during the last six months of the year.

These figures do not include any unrealized appreciation of securities, investments, or assets held by the company or any of its subsidiaries, and are after charging off all losses and providing ample reserves for probable losses on doubtful and current items.

NEW QUARTERS

Savell Refrigeration & Equipment Co., Pensacola, Fla. dealer in commercial refrigeration and restaurant equipment, has moved into the new building which it constructed next door to its former location.

JAHCO PAYS NEW 50-CENT DIVIDEND

The board of directors of Jack & Heintz Precision Industries, Inc., has declared a dividend of 50 cents per share on the outstanding shares of the company's Cumulative Preferred Stock, 4% Series, payable October 1, 1947, to holders of such shares of record as of Sentember 23, 1947.

The Board took no action on the payment of dividends in arrears for the first three quarters of 1947. After the payment of the October 1 dividend, arrears will amount to \$1.50 per share, or an aggregate of approximately \$105.000.

PA. CROSLEY OUTLET

Purchase of offices, showrooms, and warehouse buildings at 619-621 Walnut St., across from the Pennsylvania state capitol building, has been announced by Jules Alexandre, Inc., Crosley distributor in Harrisburg, Pa.

The buildings, consisting of approximately 30,000 square feet of floor space, were purchased from the Pennsylvania Railroad and were originally built by International Harvester Co. for storage of heavy tractors and farm equipment. Directly adjoining the buildings is a parking lot accommodating 300 automobiles.

In addition to Mr. Alexandre, officers of the distributing firm are Ben Eby, vice president and secretary; Samuel Prescott, vice president and comptroller; and Otto Hepner, treasurer.

COLLEGE TEACHES

A 15-week course in "Demonstration Techniques for Electrical Appliances" is being conducted by the Evening Extension Div. of Hunter College, New York, in cooperation with the Electrical Women's Round Table of New York, Inc.

Fee for the course, which is being conducted as part of the college's adult education program, is \$14. The course is designed to train present and prospective utilities, department stores. and appliance dealers, and will emphasize techniques rather than brand names. Instructors include experienced home economists from such appliance manufacturing firms as Westinghouse, General Electric, and Frigidaire

The Electrical Women's Round Table is offering two awards of \$50 each to the two students who write the the best papers and receive the highest grades in the course.

FIRE DESTROYS THERMAL BRANCH

Fire destroyed the building occupied by the Great Falls, Mont. branch of Thermal Co., Inc., refrigeration supplies wholesaling firm with headquarters in St. Paul, Minn., on Sunday, Oct. 19.

The loss was completely covered by insurance, according to H. W. Small, Thermal president, and it is expected that the company's Great Falls branch will be operating in a new location in the near future.

MUESSEL LEAVES ACTIVE SEEGER ROLE

Charles A. Muessel, vice president of Seeger Refrigerator Co., for many years in charge of sales in the eastern seaboard states, and for the past thirty years in charge of the New York branch office, has retired from active participation in the management of Seeger.

Due to a change in the sales policy of the company, the New York office has been closed permanently.

Mr. Muessel will retain his interest in Seeger as well as several other interests in which he has been active.

BROWN AGAIN ADDS TO BRANCH STAFFS

New sales and service engineering staff additions and promotions have been announced by the Brown Instrument Div. of Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Co.

Edward B. Kohl has been transferred to Corpus Christi, He was previously with the Houston branch office of the company, I. K. Farley has been transferred from the Philadelphia branch office to Houston. John D. Root, formerly instructor at the Brown School of Instrumentation. has been made sales engineer at Philadelphia. E. Curt Richards has been transferred from the company's general sales department to the New York sales engineering staff. Thomas Pitts has been appointed industrial sales engineer at the Charlotte brauch office.

In line with the company's expansion of customer service facilities, it had added the following men to its branch office field service engineering staffs:

William E. Brittian, Philadelphia; Edward J. Chance, New York; Ethron B. Deebel, Philadelphia; Gerald R. Dryden, Syracuse; John W. Forbes, Albany; Carl R. Haug, Philadelphia; Willard A. Holm, New York; Roger F. Lederer, Chicago.

Albert J. Leonaitis, Hartford, Conn.; Elgin H. Lochte, Houston; John E. Luttrell, Buffalo; Kenneth Shapleigh, Boston; Clayton K. Taylor, Indianapolis; Robert H. Walker, Cleveland, and Frank M. West, Boston.

ON WITH THE SHOW!



Representatives of three of the cooperating industry associations gather with F. J. Hood, chairman of the REMA Show committee, to review plans for the 5th All-Industry Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Exposition to be held Jan. 26-29 in the Cleveland Public Auditorium. Left to right are: Mr. Hood; Gerald W. Weston, executive vice president, NARC; Affred Chadburn, ASRE; and James H. Downs, Show committee chairman, REWA.

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RED HOT REFRIGERATION ..

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diffusing effect immediately around the crane operator. The diffuser selected discharges the air in an outward and downward movement, thus effectively washing all the hot surfaces of the cab.

The dust removing filters are the wire mesh cleansable type, the airentering side being a large gauge mesh, with successive layers of mesh decreasing in size in the direction of the air flow. The air entering the cab actually is filtered twice, first as it enters the unit as make-up air and again as it returns to the unit as recirculated air prior to its entering the cooling coil.

The cooler was designed to require as few controls as possible because of the jarring to which they would be subjected in use. A two pole, push button thermal overload switch permits the continuously-operating ventilating air fan to turn over and start to deliver air into the cab. When this fan starts to operate, a combination

cooling-heating thermostat with a selector switch takes over, permitting automatic operation of the cooler based on the temperature demands in the crane cab. If the ventilating fan does not turn over, the mechanical operations of the entire cooler are automatically cut out. The only other controls are the main disconnect switch, a two-step resistor type compressor motor starter, and an automatic contactor for the electric strip heaters.

The upper platform of the mechanical side supports the 5-hp compressor motor and refrigeration compressor. The condenser coil, condenser air fan, motor air fan, and receiver are on the lower platform. The



All Right... where does the Moisture go? THAWZONE DATA

"It sure worked on that job", says Mr. Service Engineer. "But where does the moisture go when THAWZONE acts on it?"

"We'll try to explain", we say. "But please bear with us if our explanation sounds complicated".

Water has the chemical formula H₂O. Chemically, however, it generally behaves as if it were made up of two parts: an H+ (positive hydrogen ion) and an OH—(negative hydroxyl ion). There are various compounds that interact with water to split it up this way. Most of them are unsuited to a refrigeration system.

THAWZONE, however, is a solution of compounds which are suitable. All they do is to "grab" on to the H+ with one part and the OH— with another. The resulting new compounds are complex, but oil-soluble and inert. As a matter of fact, to separate these materials and identify them is almost impossible. This is another indication of their inertness and similarity to the oil normally present in refrigerating systems.





compressor motor is connected to the condenser air fan with an oil and heat resisting belt, and to the compressor with two similar belts. Since only a total of 4.2 brake horsepower is required for the operation of the compressor and condenser air fan, the 5-hp motor is ample in capacity and eliminates the need for a separate motor for the condensing air fan.

Ventilation Needed

Because the motors in the cooler operate at high ambient temperatures. a positive, forced-air ventilating system was built into the cooler for the compressor motor. A small auxiliary fan was installed on the same shaft as the condenser air fan. It is connected to the cold side of the cooler and also to the sheave side of the 5-hp motor by means of small ducts. This ventilating system furnishes cool, 60-65 F twice-filtered air to the motor, permitting it to operate at the normal temperatures at which it is rated, and also helps to dissipate the heat generated by the motor. This filtered air supplied to the motor materially decreases motor wear and failures.

The condenser air fan is a centrifugal squirrel cage double-inlet, double-width fan, furnishing 2000 cfm over the condenser coil. The condenser coil, which is an extended surface coil, and the cooling coil are made with aluminum fins bonded to a serpentine copper tube heat exchanger.

Water Dissipated

As air to be conditioned passes through the cooling coil, moisture is condensed which drops into a collecting pan. If allowed to accumulate, this water would splash around and cause rust and corrosion. A copper tube is connected from the drip pan to a pierced tube fastened at the top of the condenser coil. The water drops through the small holes in this tube down the air entering side of the coil and is blown through the coil and out into the plant.

Because Freon 114 has a considerably higher boiling point than Freon 12, the refrigerant normally used in comfort air conditioning, it was chosen for this crane cab unit. Air conditioning equipment is designed generally to operate at about 100-125 psi, but for this use it was necessary to use a refrigerant that would give low operating pressures at high ambient temperatures. At 140 F ambient temperature, the gauge pressure with Freon 114 is approximately 71 psi as compared with 206 psi for Freon 12. Freon 114 thus permits operating pressures considerably below the limmits of the equipment.

MEAT MARKET . . .

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tomers who already are complaining over today's high meat prices.

Mr. Horney had long been interested in locker service, but he was unable to obtain the necessary equipment until last July, when he finally installed a total of 234 lockers arranged in two porcelain-front banks down both side walls of the store. As these lockers open right onto the store's sales aisles, it is unnecessary for patrons to be exposed to the cold when using their lockers.

Instead of locating quick freezing operations somewhere in the rear of the store, Mr. Horney and the Behrens Company cooperated in designing two 30-cu. ft. sharp freezers which are installed in the exact center of each bank of lockers for quick freezing all locker-stored products "right on the spot". These units operate at from -20 to -30 F and are powered by individual 5-hp compressors.

Popularity of this service was proven by the fact that all lockers were rented from the day the installation was completed, and a long waiting list for locker service already has been built up.

PHILCO SALES AT RECORD HIGH

Sales of Philco Corp. in the first nine months of 1947 totaled \$157 .-209,000 as compared with \$72,465,-000 in the same period a year ago, and set a new high record in the history of the corporation. Net income of Philco in the first nine months of 1947 totaled \$5,632,005 after all taxes and charges, equivalent to \$3.90 per share on 1,372,143 shares of common stock. In the first nine months of 1946 the company had a loss of \$20,477.



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CANDY COOLING .

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in the U. S., but also Alaska, the Hawaiian Islands, and foreign countries as well. With candy kept constantly at the correct temperature, regardless of climatic conditions, the company is certain that sales will increase to a volume undreamed of before the

The case itself is of the open front type which can be used either for clerk service or self service. Measuring 5 feet long, 29½ inches deep, and 56 inches high overall, the entire unit is completely self-contained and weighs about 600 pounds. It is finished in gleaming white enamel, and is equipped with fluorescent lighting for well-illuminated display.

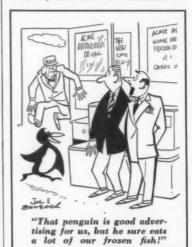
Top section of the cabinet, which is the display area, is of open front construction, but is partially walled on front and sides by clear glass. This space will hold six dozen 1-pound boxes of candy plus a shelf of specials, such as candy bars, etc.

The air circulating system has been

carefully engineered to provide a steady flow of cool air over and around the candy in this open display area in order to maintain the candy at a constant temperature of approximately, 68 F, even with room temperatures up to and exceeding 100 F and despite humidity conditions. The case is so designed that there is a minimum of air spillage despite the open front which permits customer selection of candies.

Top of the cabinet's "hood" is about 12 inches wide, providing ample display space for caramels, hard candies, nougats, lozenges, and similar confections which require no refrigeration.

Cabinets are constructed of steel, even to the shelving, and are provided with Fiberglas insulation. Base of the cabinet is divided into three sections, with the self-contained re-



frigerating unit located in the center, where it can be readily slipped out of the cabinet for cleaning or servicing. On either side of this center section are separate compartments, each with its own service door, for bulk storage of candies.

The refrigerating system itself is comprised of a ½-hp hermetically sealed Kelvinator compressor with air circulating blower, evaporator coils, and dehumidifying system all assembled into one handy package. This system operates on regular 110-volt, single phase, a.c. current, and needs only to be plugged into an existing electrical outlet to place it in operation.

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Formation of the California Distributing Co. for the purpose of sell-



Mr. Rhoy

ing at wholesale throughout northern California a complete line of commercial and domestic refrigeration equipment and allied products has been announced by T. F. Rhoy, who heads the new firm.

Mr. Rhoy, better known to the trade as Fred, organized the new company following the dissolution of Western Refrigeration Co., in which he had been a partner. Most of the personnel of the former company is continuing to work with Mr. Rhoy in his new venture. Lem Branson will serve as sales manager of the new company, just as he did with Western.

The new distributing firm will maintain offices and showrooms at 2201 East 14 St., Oakland. It will maintain a policy of strictly wholesale merchandising and will carry ample stocks of merchandise. The firm will serve the entire northern California territory, including some 50 counties, and also Reno, Nevada.

Among the companies whose products the new firm will distribute are: Victor Products Corp.; C. L. Percival Co.; Revco, Inc.; Paley Mfg. Co.; Merchant & Evans Co.; Lehigh Foundries; Refrigeration Engineering Co.

REWA'S NEW REGION 11 MEETS, ELECTS OFFICERS

Jack Tupper of Peerless Pacific Co. was elected chairman of Refrigeration Equipment Wholesalers Association's Region No. 11 when that group held its initial meeting and election of officers.

Other officers named to head the new regional group were: Berl Edwards, Refrigerative Supply, Inc., secretary; W. W. Sonnenberg, Refrigerating & Power Specialties, treasurer.

NEW REWA MEMBER

Tempcon, Inc., 336 E. Lake St., Minneapolis, Minn., has been elected to membership in the Refrigeration Equipment Wholesalers Association.

President of the Tempcon organization is J. W. Wheeler. Other offi-

cers are: Eugene A. Coulter, vice president; W. H. Anderson, secretary; and P. B. Schoenholz, treasurer.

JOBBER INCORPORATES

Palmer Supply Co., Tulsa, Okla. wholesaler of refrigeration equipment, has terminated its partnership arrangement and now is operating as a corporation.

R. W. Palmer is president of the new corporation, Joan Palmer Jones is vice president, and Ruth Juanita Palmer is secretary-treasurer.

FLORIDA CITY CONSIDERS CENTRAL COOLING PLAN

A proposal for a master refrigeration plant to provide 45 F water for air conditioning purposes to commercial subscribers in the downtown area is being considered by city officials of Clearwater, Fla.

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224—Fluxes . . . An engineering bulletin describing 89 different fluxes for specific types of welding, brazing, solver soldering, and various other jobs. Explains how to select the proper flux for 57 different metals, as well as for various makes of cutting tool tips. Available from Krembs & Co.

225—Carbonator . . . A specification sheet illustrating and detailing all features of the Bayers motorless carbonator for soda fountain use. Available from Bayers Mfg. Co.

226—Ice Cream Cabinets... A folder which illustrates, describes, and lists specifications of the Schaefer line of ice cream cabinets. Cutaway views are shown to illustrate various construction features. Available from Schaefer, Inc.

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227—Brewery Refrigeration . . . A new bulletin (No. 708) on refrigeration machinery and equipment for the brewing industry. This 16-page bulletin is entirely devoted to such brewery needs as ammonia compressors, condensers, double pipe or Baudelot coolers, brine tank coils, etc. 32 page installation photos are included. Available from Vilter Mfg. Co.

228—Corrosion Resistance . . . A computer for judging corrosion resistance of non ferrous and stainless steel alloys, designed as an aid to men who buy or specify metals to be used in corrosive environments. This computer, in easy-to-use slide rule form, is available without charge from H. M. Harper Co.

229—Micromotors . . . A series of four folders describing four types (U, W, T, and L) of "Micromotors" manufactured by Redmond Co., Inc. Each folder illustrates the particular type of motor which it describes, shows cutaway or exploded views, and list performance ratings and other specifications.

230—Appliance Slings . . . A 4-page circular illustrating and describing the shipping jackets and slings for major appliances and similar equipment which are manufactured by Webb Mfg. Co. A series of six photographs graphically shows how to properly use these appliance slings. A complete list of styles and prices is included.

231—Two-Temp Thermometer . . . A pocket-size folder describing and picturing the "Duo-temp" indoor-outdoor dial thermometer developed originally by the Jas. P. Marsh Corp. for home and office use, but later found to have a number of commercial and industrial applications where differential temperature readings are desired.

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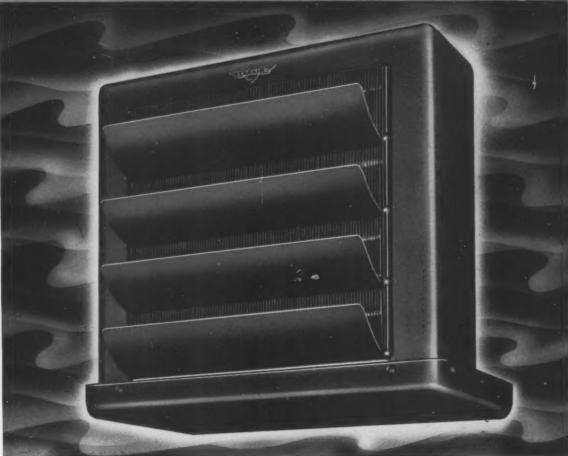


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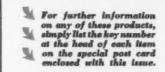


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Cooling Calculator • • P-162

Product: Airserco refrigeration
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Manufacturer: Airserco Mfg. Co., Inc., Pittsburgh.



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Display Case • • • • P-163

Product: 1948 Model P-50 double duty display case.

Manufacturer: Jordon Refrigerator Co., Philadelphia.



Features: Available in 8 and 10foot sizes. Clear vision into every part of display section assured by nonglare angle of "Thermpane" display glass. Same type of glass used in sliding service doors in rear of case. "Moist-Cold" cooling system prevents dehydration. Full length porcelain mezzanine shelf and fluorescent lighting system are standard equipment.

Suction Valve • • • • P-164

Product: Type 732 snap-action suction valve.

Manufacturer: Alco Valve Co., St. Louis, Mo.



Features: Accurate temperature control provided within one small unit. Responds directly to actual load temperatures. Needs no electrical wiring or accessories. Designed for installation in evaporator suction line, with feeler bulb located in same way as a thermostat bulb. Temperature range is from 20 F to 50 F. Adjustment is by means of stem and dial under seal cap. Dial is marked with 1-degree graduations for close control, with operating differential between "open" and "close" only 2 degrees. Automatic defrosting obtained on "off" cycle where temperature fixing is above freezing. Nominal capacity is 1/2-ton Freon-12 or 3/4-ton methyl chloride.

Home Bar • • • • P-165

Product: "Consol-ette" refrigerated bar for home or office use.

Manufacturer: Refrigerated Equipment Sales, New York City.

Features: Period styled cabinets, so camouflaged that no one knows the unit is a bar until it is opened. Cabinet can be locked for security, but when opened everything is readily available. Makes own ice cubes, and has

3½ cu. ft. of refrigerated space, plus a concealed compartment with automatic switch-off light for liquor storage. Mirrored service section holds variety of glasses and other equipment. Completely self-contained, no special installation needed. Available for a.c. or d.c. Measures 42 x 42 x 18 inches overall, weighs approximately 200 pounds.

Dairy Case • • • • P-166

Product: Model DCB-12-1 refrigerated sales cabinet designed for dairy products or bottled beverages.

Manufacturer: Brewer-Titchener Corp., Binghamton, N. Y.

Features: Requires only 76 x 28-inch floor space but has 14½ cu. ft. of storage space. Height 33¾ inches; including superstructure, 48¾ inches. Powered by ¼-hp compressor. Storage compartment lined with BTC flooded-plate liner walls. Vapor sealed insulation and 16-gauge bonderized steel cabinet. Recessed toe space and full-length angle mirror provide open display and easy access.

Candy Case • • • • P-167

Product: Refrigerated candy display case for retail candy sales.

Manufacturer: Victor Products Corp., Hagerstown, Md.



Features: Adequate storage space and glass display counters both cooled by a sealed condensing unit. Doors hung on concealed hinges and fastened by means of self-locking chrome fasteners. Illuminated horizontal glass panel and support are utilized to provide attractive eyeheight advertising messages. Chrome is utilized on display trim.

Wire Stripper • • • • P-168

Product: Pocket-size combination

wire stripper and cutter.

Manufacturer: Aircraft-Marine Products, Inc., Harrisburg, Pa.

Features: Covers range of wire sizes from 22 to 10. Distinctively colored shock-proof handles. Incorporates built-in wire cutter, serrated plier jaws, and handy stud size gauge. Accurate. Retail price is \$2.95.

Bobtail Fountain • • • P-169

Product: New bobtail soda fountain.

Manufacturer: Ace Cabinet

Corp., New York City.

Features: Cabinet type bobtail with 2-sink style available in 5 and 6-foot models, and 3-sink style available in 5, 6 and 7-foot models.

Testing Unit • • • • P-170

Product: Compact, portable, universal type electrical appliance tester. (Model 60)

Manufacturer: Hanlan Co., Los Angeles, Calif.

Features: Will show true condi-

tion of any electrical appliance in common use. May be used for trouble shooting, checking open circuits,



continuity, grounds, short circuits. Will test thermostats under working conditions, or indicate insulation resistance and leakage due to moisture in wiring systems. Carries an a.c. ammeter range of 0 to 15 amps. High sensitivity Neon tube is provided for making resistance tests. Instant working of a flexible switch arrangement provides maximum protection as well as rapid operation. Measures $7\frac{1}{4}$ x 6 x 2 inches, weighs 3 pounds, lists at \$14.50.

Brazing Kit • • • • P-171

Product: Packaged kit including all materials necessary for silver soldering or brazing without acetylene torch or tanks.



Manufacturer: American Products Corp., Chicago.

Features: Produces unbreakable, non-corrosive, leak proof joints stronger than the metal itself. Compares favorably with acetylene torch brazing for light bench work on met-

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Expansion Valves • • • P-172

Product: Two thermostatic expansion valves, Models 211 and 212 (shown here), having a new pressure limiting device.



Manufacturer: Automatic Products Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

Features: Accurately control superheat, assure maximum evaporator efficiency, and prevent motor overloads during pulldown or peak load periods. Liquid charged power elements. Pressure limitation accomplished by a sensitive diaphragm unit which has its own liquid charge. Suitable for all temperature applications. Model 211 is a fixed superheat valve, factory adjusted for normal requirements. Model 212 has an adjustable superheat range from 2 F to 20 F.

Air Conditioning Fans • P-173

Product: New line of axial flow pressure fans for air conditioning, dust and fume removal, machinery cooling, and various process applica-

Manufacturer: Sturtevant Div., Westinghouse Electric Corp., Hyde Park, Mass.

Features: Two basic types available-straight-through type or con-

vertible elbow type-both furnished with either 3-bladed aluminum alloy wheel or 8-bladed steel wheel. Designed for either vertical or horizontal operation. High mechanical and static efficiency combined with large volumetric capacity. Sizes vary from 18 to 72 inches; static pressures from 0 to 3 inches; displacement from 2000 to 115,000 cfm.

Pliers-Wrench • • • P-174

Product: "Pli-rench" tool usable as a pliers, wrench, clamp, or vise.

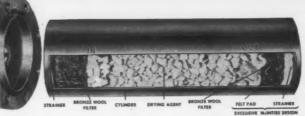
Manufacturer: Whale Tool Corp., New York City.

Features: Self-aligning jaw makes



possible a full jaw-length grip on both straight and angular objects and provides powerful hold on work. Simple locking arrangement provides a better than 1-ton grip, even with hand removed, yet the wrench can be re-





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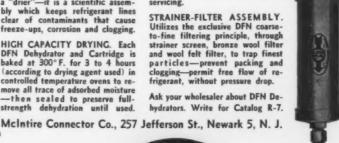
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Pressure Gauge • • • P-175

Product: Absolute pressure gauge of sealed case type with dial indicator.

Manufacturer: United States Gauge Div., Sellersville, Pa.

Features: Designed to indicate on a dial, in units of inches or millimeters of mercury, the absolute pressure or vacuum to be measured. Graduations are the same as used on barometers. Can be built in a number of ranges to suit individual requirements. Case is of black phenolic material which resists corrosion.

TX Valve • • • • P-176

Product: Improved thermostatic expansion valve for refrigeration applications.

Manufacturer: Tenney Engineering, Inc., Newark, N. J.

Features: Suction and liquid con-

nections now in same plane, instead of at right angles to each other, facilitating installation, but neither size nor functional characteristics of valve



have changed. Can be furnished with check valve incorporated in regular size body. Positive control without a feeler bulb. Close maintenance of superheat control. Compensation for pressure drop in evaporator is designed into valve, eliminating need for external equalizer. Operates in any position. Exact sizing of valve unnecessary, as one valve is suitable for operation with any evaporator having a capacity up to 1½ tons. Particularly recommended for small evaporators or close coupled coil and machine combinations.

Home Freezer • • • P-177

Product: Front opening, vertically styled home freezer known as "Hi-



Boy" and designed primarily for urban families.

Manufacturer: Wilson Cabinet Co., Inc., Smyrna, Del.

Features: Occupies less than a

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Fire-Resistant Paint • • P-178 Product: "Fire Stop" patented fire-resistant paint.

Manufacturer: Plicote, Inc., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Features: Stops small fires before they spread. Offers superior utility and beauty on wall. Ready mixed and self sealing, it completely covers virtually any surface in one coat. Washable. Available in five pastel tones plus white. Dries to fine textured flat finish.

BY EXTENDING telephone ordering service for three hours after store closing time, from 6 to 9 p.m., the Bon Marche department store in Seattle, Wash., has materially boosted its sales volume in frozen foods.

Since the innovation of this extended service, the store has found that a tremendous amount of additional business has been received from women employed during the day. Many such women do not reach home until well after 6 o'clock, but now the store's new service enables them to make their purchases for the next day via telephone.

Large newspaper ads were run by the store to call the new service to the attention of the buying public. These ads made it clear that the food thus ordered would be delivered the following day. Furthermore they pointed out that the customer need not be home when the delivery is made, as arrangements can be made for the driver to place the frozen food items directly into the customer's freezing compartment.

C. D. CLAWSON NAMED P. E. I. PRESIDENT

C. D. Clawson, president of Ferro Enamel Corp., was named president of the Porcelain Enamel Institute at the P. E. I. sixteenth annual meeting, held recently in Cleveland. He succeeds Richard H. Turk, president of Pemco Corp.

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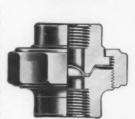
Thomas Rady of Amsterdam, N. Y., is the proud owner and operator of this modern service truck which houses a miniature shop for minor repairs as well as providing ample space for appliance delivery. Mr. Rady is a customer of Central Service Supply Co., Syracuse, N. Y.

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V. P. Black has been named advertising manager of Airtemp Div.,



Chrysler Corp.
Mr. Black joined the Airtemp organization early in 1935, and after serving in various capacities took charge of the division's advertising in 1939. During the

war his supervisory abilities were needed in other fields, and he served as manager of Airtemp Construction Corp., a wholly owned subsidiary. Now, with war and postwar pressure removed from this operation, Mr. Black has been called upon to head Airtemp's rapidly expanding advertising department.

D. D. (Dan) Wile, formerly with Carrier Corp., has joined the engineering staff of Refrigeration Engineering, Inc., Los Angeles, Calif.

George W. Wilson, who for the past four years has been in charge of



jobber sales for Henry Valve Co., has resigned from that position in order to establish his own business as a manufacturers' representative.

Mr. Wilson, who plans to handle

only products sold through heating and refrigeration jobbers, will travel northern Illinois, eastern Iowa, Wisconsin, and a portion of Indiana.

A. H. Rose has been named sales manager of Schaefer, Inc., Minneaplis manufacturer of ice cream and frozen food cabinets and home and farm freezers. Most recently Mr. Rose has been manager of sales and advertising of the refrigeration division of Portable Elevator Mfg. Co., Bloomington, Ill. Previously he was with Moore Corp., Joliet, Ill., and City Ice & Fuel Co., Cleveland.

W. E. Dennis has been named general manager of the refrigeration



division of Salem Engineering Co. Salem dealers all over the country now will deal directly with him at his headquarters in the company's main office at Salem, Ohio. Mr. Dennis has

been with the organization eight years, prior to his latest appointment was serving as general supervisor of operations.

Fred H. Guterman has been named district representative for General Electric refrigeration in the Philadelphia area. Mr. Guterman, whose office will be at 1405 Locust St., Philadelphia, will specialize in sales to manufacturers. Prior to his present assig..ment he had acted as sales coordinator for refrigeration divisions.

Norman B. Schreiber, Chicago industrialist, has been named board



chairman and general manager of General Engineering & Mfg. Co., St. Louis manufacturer of air conditioning equipment. Mr. Schreiber, who is not related to John H. Schreib-

er, Gemco president, is a specialist in corporate management, and currently holds directorates in four other prominent industrial firms. Heading a number of personnel changes in the air conditioning de-



partment of General Electric Co. is the appointment of L. H. Matthes as manager of marketing. Mr. Matthes will be responsible directly to G. R. Prout, vice president and general manager

Mr. Matthes of the department, and will supervise all of the department's advertising and sales promotion, marketing services, and commercial engineering and sales. Prior to his present appointment he was district manager for apparatus products in the Texas area. Six new appointments in the department's refrigeration machine and remote equipment divisions also have been announced. W. G. Cox, who has been in the department since 1940, has been appointed assistant to the sales manager; J. L. Roth, formerly district representative on cooling equipment for the Chicago area, has been placed in charge of commercial activities at the Fort Wayne, Ind., plant; W. F. Benoit, the divisions' eastern manager for sales to manufacturers, has been advanced to sales manager of manufacturer sales; R. M. Bukaty, H. R. Walker, and Milton Kalish, have been appointed product specialists.

H. F. Krantz has been appointed general sales manager of Rigidbilt,



Inc., and in this capacity will direct sales of Rigidbilt air conditioning and steam heating coils, unit coolers, and floor type product coolers, as well as of the com-

pany's line of custom-built units. Mr. Krantz formerly was north central regional representative for Electric Power Equipment Corp.

W. J. (Bill) Bagley has been named to represent Marlo Coil Co, in St. Louis and surrounding territory. He formerly was midwestern representative for Superior Valve & Fittings Co., and more recently an instructor at David Rankin Trade School, St. Louis.

Frank R. Kohnstamm has joined the staff of Jack & Heintz Precision Industries, Inc. as general sales manager, and Harold R. (Doc) Burt has been engaged by that company as western district sales and service representative of the refrigeration and electric motor divisions. Mr.





Mr. Kohnstamm

Mr. Burt

Kohnstamm, a nationally known sales executive, was for 25 years associated with Westinghouse Electric Corp. in Cleveland and Mansfield, Ohio. Since resigning from Westinghouse in 1942, he has filled various executive positions with Vander Horst Corp. of America and Baldwin Locomotive Works. Mr. Burt, a sales and service engineer of Oakland, Calif., will make his headquarters in that city and will cover 11 western states. He had been with the William Wurzbach Co. since Junuary of this year.

J. Carl Bowen has been appointed West Coast sales and service manager for the heating and air conditioning section of the industrial department of the machinery division of Dravo Corp. Mr. Bowen will be in charge of sales and service for Dravo "Counterflo" heaters and crane cab coolers, with headquarters in San Francisco. His territory includes Washington, Oregon, California, Arizona, Utah, Nevada, Idaho and the western parts of Wyoming and Montana.

C. B. Butler has been elected vice president in charge of production for Sherer-Gillett Co., commercial refrigerator manufacturer of Marshall, Mich. Mr. Butler has been associated with the company since 1913, serving as factory superintendent since 1929.

C. T. Bappler has been named manager for the eastern division of McQuay, Inc., Minneapolis refrigeration and air conditioning equipment manufacturer. Mr. Bappler has been in the refrigeration field since 1924 and has served with Frigidaire, Bush, Krackowizer Co., Tilco-Fin, Inc. and his own firm, Reese & Bappler.

O. J. Tinzman and R. W. Hayes have been appointed southern representatives for McQuay, Inc. Mr. Tinzman will cover New Mexico, Louisiana, Mississippi and most of Texas except the Panhandle. Mr. Hayes will cover the Texas Panhandle, Oklahoma and Arkansas, southern Kansas and Missouri and parts of western Tennessee.

Harold H. Reed, formerly assistant manager of the metropolitan New York district for Air Reduction Sales Co., has been appointed manager of that district to succeed W. S. Schoenthaler, who is retiring. Oren M. Donohue, formerly assistant sales manager, has been named to succeed Mr. Reed, and William B. Brower succeeds Mr. Donohue.

Walton W. Woodroof has been appointed manager of distributor sales in the refrigeration and air conditioning fields for Baker Ice Machine Co., Inc., and Roger Sprague has been placed in charge of the company's newly opened St. Louis





Mr. Woodruff

Mr. Sprague

office. Mr. Woodroof, formerly general sales and advertising manager of Universal Lubricating Systems, Inc., will have his headquarters at Baker's new plant in South Windham, Me. Mr. Sprague has long been active in sales engineering and application work for Baker, having joined the company in 1928. In his new capacity he will direct sales, engineering, contracting, and service throughout the St. Louis area.



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Rebuilding the Coldspot Unit

By A. G. Bate

This series of articles is intended to cover certain specific phases of rebuilding work on Coldspot open-type condensing units. It is an "advanced" series, in that it assumes that the service man has a general knowledge of how to change motors, thermostats, etc., and wants to know how to handle some of the problems which otherwise would necessitate returning the units to the factory.

7. STUCK-UP PUMPS

 $G^{\,\mathrm{ENERALLY}}$ speaking, a Coldspot pump will jam up as a result of one of two conditions.

1. Because of a low side leak, which generally occurs where the suction line is soldered into the bottom of the pump casting. A pump that is stuck up because of a moisture condition is a real problem. The pump, in this case, must be completely dismantled and all parts subjected to gas, dehydrated.

2. Second cause of a jammed pump is from the cylinder screen finding its way into the blades. Only a very small piece of screen is necessary to lock the rotor, and it will thus be impossible for the pump to operate until it has been dismantled. That part of the screen not found in the cylinder usually will be found by removing the low side valve, and searching the channel in the casting with a flashlight.

SUCCESS STORY . . .

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well that when these service customers do buy new equipment they'll buy it from him.

So sure is he of the results of this policy that he personally sparkplugs this goodwill program among his firm's service customers. Personally signed "thank you" notes are dispatched to all new service accounts, welcoming them into the firm's ever growing family of "contented customers" and expressing the sincere hope that the new relationship will prove to be an enduring one.

"Service That Serves"

"Service that Serves" is a tag-line that is frequently used in the company's advertising, and Mr. Hendricks personally pledges to all new customers that he will always see to it that the company lives up to its motto.

Carrying this policy still further, Mr. Hendricks makes it a point to express his personal interest in the problems of any of the company's new commercial customers. He personally visits or telephones each one, freely offering to discuss any of their refrigeration problems and offering the benefit of his wide experience in the field. He never fails to end these conversations by urging that the customer call him personally if any equipment fails to respond satisfactorily to service work performed by his men.

A Good Will Builder

Service on new equipment still in the warranty period is performed with the same careful attention given to any other equipment, for Mr. Hendricks has impressed upon his men the fact that while this warranty work is done without charge it still can be used as another effective means of spreading good will and building future business for the firm.

Consistent newspaper advertising and direct mail promotion, all featuring the company's key policies of efficient service and guaranteed equipment, also has contributed importantly to the firm's progress.

With a business so soundly built and so acutely attuned to trends of the times, Mr. Hendricks and his company seem slated for a busy and a prosperous future.

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USAIRCO ANNOUNCES GAS-FIRED UNIT HEATER

A new gas-fired unit heater said to have an exceptionally high heat efficiency has been developed by United States Air Conditioning Corp. and is currently being produced by Great National Air Conditioning Corp. of Dallas, holder of the exclusive manufacturing license for the new heater.

Designed for commercial and industrial application in new or old structures, the heater is designated as the Model CS-95 gas-fired unit heater. It is described as having "compact design, economical operation and long life."

COAST CONTRACTOR OPENS NEW DISPLAY STORE

S & W Refrigeration Co. of Berkely, Calif., is opening a store at 984 MacArthur Blvd. West, Oakland, Calif. This store will be used chiefly for display of commercial refrigeration and air conditioning equipment.

Merle West has been named product manager and Ronald R. Dysart has been appointed engineer for the new branch.

BUILDS FLA. DEALERSHIP

Ground has been broken at Bradenton, Fla., for the erection of a \$20,000 building to serve as the new home of Theriot's Refrigerator Sales & Service. Located on Manatee Ave., between 10th and 11th Sts., the new building will be of concrete block and cement construction, with 50 foot frontage and running 100 feet deep. It is being built in such a way that a second story can be added later if desired.



LOS ANGELES ASRE HEARS KENNEDY ON COMPRESSORS

"High Speed Contrifugal Compressors" was the topic of the talk delivered by Maron Kennedy of York Corp. before the October meeting of the Los Angeles section of the American Society of Refrigerating Engineers. The meeting was held at the Rodger Young Auditorium.

ALBERT TALKS ON TRUCK COOLING TO FRISCO ASRE

Douglas Albert, chief engineer of Fruehauf Trailer Co. of California, delivered a paper on "Truck-Trailer Refrigeration" before the September meeting of the San Francisco section of the American Society of Refriger-

ating Engineers.

Mr. Albert described the four principal methods of refrigerating truck-trailers—wet ice, dry ice, hold-over plates, and mechanical refrigeration—and outlined the advantages and drawbacks of each. He also stressed the need for adequate insulation and sharply criticized conflicting governmental regulations affecting motor transport.

A NEW freight-anchoring technique, conserving both time and critical lumber, has been developed for Frigidaire division of General Motors by Fred Parlett, Dayton shipping department checker and winner of a thousand-dollar U. S. Savings Bond for his idea.

Bulky erated products, such as ice cream cabinets and water coolers, are now being clinched together and anchored in railroad freight cars by one and a quarter-inch steel straps instead of the usual shoring of two-by-four planks. Only two special tools are necessary, a strapiron stretcher and clincher. The straps are anchored to the car sides before they are stretched into position. The operation can be completed in 45 minutes instead of the customary two hours. About eightyone linear feet of lumber can be saved on each carload lot.

Freight-handlers at the other end of the line have only to snip the steel bands with cutters and the crates are ready to be moved out.

AIR CONDITIONING BILL CONSIDERED IN CAROLINA

A subcommittee of the South Carolina state house of representatives is holding a series of hearings on a pending bill to require textile concerns to air condition their plants.



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Both types are bone dry. Because each length is carefully dehydrated and tightly sealed, you needn't worry about "stuck" expansion valves due to tube moisture. Both are dead soft, so that you can bend them easily; and they won't split at the ends when flared. Both are clean and bright.

Revere Dryseal Copper Refrigeration Tube and Revere Aluminum Refrigeration Tube come in sizes from ½" to ¾" O.D., with .035" wall, and are standard in 50-foot coils. You can get prompt delivery from leading distributors throughout the country.

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XX. Hospitals and Institutions

PART III

Many institutions are "miniature cities" in themselves, and the requirements for refrigeration equipment are very broad. Drinking water facilities are frequently located in several stations throughout the building, particularly when the institution houses old or sick people, so that drinking water will be conveniently accessible to both inmates and attendants.

Either individual refrigerated water coolers or a large circulat, ing system will be found in use. Where new drinking water equipment is under consideration, it is usually advisable to recommend individual refrigerated water coolers, conveniently located throughout the building, rather than the circulating system as was previously outlined for hospital use.

During these times, when money is available for expansion and added equipment, many institutions are looking for improvements or additions to their present refrigeration equipment.

Many institutions have old equipment, used for many years, which is beginning to run high in maintenance cost or is inadequate for present requirements and expansion. This field offers great opportunities for the sale of new replacement or additional refrigeration equipment.

Don't overlook the opportunity to sell institutions frozen food storage and service equipment. A big field of opportunity is open for this type of refrigeration, particularly with institutions operating farm or large vegetable gardens. Other refrigeration equipment, such as mortuary boxes and air conditioning, are also used in many institutions.

Explore this field; it embraces many opportunities for new or replacement business.

XXI. Night Clubs and Cafes

PART I

IGHT clubs and cafes are large users of refrigeration equipment, both for the cooling of beverages and for the storage and serving of foods. Nearly all high class night clubs also use air conditioning during the year.

Here is a business operated under varied and changing conditions. Patronage is uncertain day-by-day. Frequently unexpected bad weather results in a very small patronage on a day or night when a much larger business had been expected.

Because of the uncertainty of business due to conditions such as weather, the night clubs were early users of frozen food facilities in which chickens, meats and other products could be frozen and carried over until consumed.

Saturdays and Sundays are usually the big nights for clubs

ODOR PROBLEM SOLVED IN FUR STORAGE VALLETS

Activated carbon air purification has been found to be a valuable odor eliminator in the refrigerated fur storage vaults of Bergdorf-Goodman, smart New York women's specialty store.

Before the installation of activated carbon the furs would, upon unpacking, frequently fairly reek of a strange and foreign "cold storage"

odor. Finally it was determined that the furs themselves were responsible.

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and cafes, and large quantities of food must be on hand to take care of the heavy patronage expected on these nights. If bad weather develops, patronage may be off from 20% to 50%, and provisions must be available to safely carry over the surplus food as a result of the reduction in anticipated business.

GOOD LOW-TEMP FIELD

The frozen food storage cooler or cabinet is the ideal equipment to serve this purpose. Every night club serving meals should have this type of refrigeration equipment.

During hot, sultry summer days and nights, air conditioning assures the night club operator of a larger volume of business than would be expected without such equipment. Cool, dry surroundings enable guests to relax or dance without suffering from fatigue, excessive heat or unpleasant perspiration.

Night clubs, well air conditioned, draw business away from their competitors who cannot offer similar facilities.

ABOUT AIR CONDITIONING

Providing satisfactory and adequate airconditioning in a night club is an engineering feat requiring very careful analysis and complete information regarding maximum and minimum requirements.

The system, as in theatre installations, must be controlled to provide maximum comfort under light or heavy patronage. However, since there usually is dancing at night clubs, the human heat load is greater as the patrons in exercising throw off considerable more heat.

Another important requirement is the frequent changing of air. Most people attending night clubs smoke, and this fact makes frequent air changes essential for a really satisfactory installation.

As night clubs, like theatres, get their large patronage at night, the heat leak problem is considerably reduced, which helps to offset some of the other requirements which are increased in this type of air conditioning installation.

Careful study and analysis is required, but by securing complete information, the refrigeration engineer can lay out a very satisfactory air conditioning installation. This is a big and rapidly expanding field, well worth the attention of all progressive refrigeration companies.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

In addition to equipment for frozen food and air conditioning, night clubs usually have facilities for food storage and food service, ice cream storage, refrigeration of beverages, draft beer, and the cooling of drinking water and liquors. Many also use large quantities of ice, used in serving drinks.

A battery of ice makers or block ice equipment is frequently installed to handle this need. We will not go into further detail on these items of equipment, as we have previously explained such equipment in detail in previous chapters of the Manual.

AN EXPANDING MARKET

In this field the market is large and businesses are expanding, requiring additional equipment. Many opportunities also exist for replacement of old equipment.

Business in night clubs continues to be good, and therefore the purchase of equipment is going on every day. Don't overlook the good night clubs in your locality as a fine source of much good refrigeration business.





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Income Tax Saving Facts

(Continued from November issue.)

W HILE individual income tax returns provide for a separation of business expenses and personal deductions, the latter may have as profound an effect in determining the tax finally computed as the former. Both business expenses and personal deductions determine your net takehome compensation from your busi-TUPES

So the question of whether to use the short form, which allows a standard credit for personal deductions, or to use the long form and report the deductions, should not be dismissed without careful thought. The wrong decision costs millions of taxpayers additional taxes every year. If you're in doubt, figure your return both ways and compare the results. Then use the form that will save you the most,

Even if it appears that there will be no difference in income tax by use of either form, you may still save considerable cash by using the long form, provided you anticipate the situation before year-end. Circumstances frequently arise in which, by paying certain bills which are of a tax-deductible character before December 31, important tax savings can be effected. You have to be alert, but it really pays off.

This is equally true if your income is over \$5,000 and you therefore have to use the long form in computing your tax. In that case you have a choice of reporting personal deductions, or of taking the standard deduction instead of reporting deductions.

For example, suppose you owe a medical bill of \$500 which you plan to honor in 1948. You have already paid medical bills during the year to the amount of 5% of your income (the first 5% not being deductible)

so that if you pay the \$500 bill it will be fully deductible. Further checkyou use the long or short form.

On the other hand, by paying this bill before the end of 1947, your personal deductions will exceed by \$500 the standard 10% allowed in the short form. Even if you're in the lowest tax bracket, paying this bill before year-end will save \$95 in income tax. The same rule applies to other personal deduction items which you may elect to pay by year-end, instead of deferring.

Where payment of such items may not result in any savings, you may elect to defer payment and use the short form with its standard allowances for personal deductions. If you anticipate heavy personal deductions in the following year, you may save considerable tax money by postponing payment until that time.

So, while only two days may separate possible payment dates (Decem-31 or January 2 of the following year), determining which year to honor such bills may either save or

ing shows that, if the bill is not paid in 1947, your tax will be approximately the same regardless of whether

REFRIGERATORS HEN QUICK-FREE UNIT "Really gets things cold in there, doesn't it, ma'am?"

cost you in tax payments. The decision is up to you.

Many tax deductions of a personal character often are overlookedthings like losses from accident, storm, hurricane, flood, fire, etc. to personal property-because they're forgotten by the time the income tax return is prepared. Here again it will pay you to take time out from your usual business duties and review the year's personal events, to recall forgotten facts of a tax-saving type.

Was the wife's fur coat stolen last February? Did a storm rip off the garage roof? Did a flood ruin personal property stored in the cellar?

Such deductions, of course, may be taken only to the extent not covered by insurance. Losses of this sort also are frequently ignored in computing business schedules in the tax return, due to oversight.

Here are other items that frequently are overlooked:

Membership fees in business associations, including Chamber of Commerce.

Expenses, including travel, hotel and meals, attending trade conven-

Subscriptions to business and trade magazines.

Cost of smocks, jackets or overalls (but not regular clothes used for work), if not adapted to ordinary wear; also laundering of such cloth-

There are no hard and fast rules that apply to all taxpayers in all circumstances. Faced with certain alternatives and choices, what you as an individual should do is something you'll have to decide for yourself.

What you can do, however, is to become income tax conscious as a year-around practice. Then you can make your decisions with tax-saving considerations in mind, and without violating the tax code save yourself money not only this year, but every year hereafter.

HUSSEY DETROIT AGENT

Crawford-Mazer, Inc., Detroit, has been named sales agent for all Hussey copper and brass products in the Detroit territory. Sales offices of Crawford-Mazer, Inc. are located in the Fox Building, Detroit.

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BROTHERS TEAM UP IN AIRTEMP OFFICE

The Henn brothers, Carden S. and Bernhart W., have teamed up to make it two of a kind in the Cleveland district office of Chrysler Corp.'s Airtemp Division. Carden Henn is the new Airtemp district engineer in Cleveland, while brother Bernhart has has taken over as district representative.

FLA. YORK DISTRIBUTOR BUILDS NEW HOME

Exhibition rooms, executive offices, and additional storage space will be provided by a \$20,000 addition to the building of the Florida Hill York Corp., Miami. The building will be engineered for air conditioning. It will be ready for occupancy in August, according to R. Ernest Nitzche, president of the refrigeration equipment distributorship.

WYLIE COE HEADS ARNOLD SALES STAFF

Wylie M. Coe has been named sales manager and Arthur G. Kemp has been added to the sales staff of Arnold Wholesale Corp., Cleveland, Robert C. Hager, president, has announced. Sales direction formerly had been handled by vice president E. C. Forster along with his other activities.

A NEW type of refrigerating machine for cooling railway refrigerator cars, developed by George J. and Guy D. Bender, of Belle Glade, Fla., recently underwent tests to determine its practical utility in pre-cooling a car of snap beans.

The device fits into the ear door and works on the principle of drawing out the warm air and replacing it with cold air so rapidly that produce in the ear is prevented from "sweating and nesting".

Capacity of the device is 10 tons per hour and the temperature of a car can be reduced from 90 to 45 F in 2½ hours, according to the inventors. One machine, it is estimated, will be able to pre-cool four cars per day. The price is said to be moderate. If successful, the new machine is seen as a great boon to produce growers and shippers in providing proper storage temperatures without danger of loss from mold formation.

DELUXE COOLING FOR DELUXE MARKET



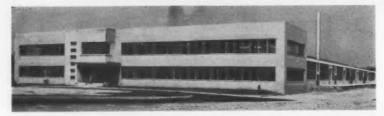
George Donlou (left), owner of Donlou's Super Market in Redondo Beach, Calif., poses with his brother John for an opening-day picture in their new modern market. The market is equipped with two Tyler self-service meat and dairy cases and a 60 x 100 foot frozen food case, with two Tyler 12-foot meat cases and a storage box in the meat department, managed by Kolburn Olsen. The equipment was installed by Perfecold Refrigeration Co. of Long Beach, Calif.

NEW CARRIER OUTLET

Chas. S. Martin Distributing Co., Atlanta, has been appointed Georgia distributor for the Carrier line of packaged air conditioning units and food freezers. The firm recently held a product showing for dealers in the Dixie Ballroom of the Henry Grady hotel which was attended by factory officials.



NEW HOME OF "ASHCROFT" GAUGES



A long term lease on this new factory building in Stratford, Conn., has just been signed by Manning, Maxwell & Moore, Inc., which will use the new plant for production of its line of "Ashcroft" gauges. Removal of Ashcroft production from the company's Bridgeport, Conn. plant where it is now located will permit expansion of the firms Consolidated Safety Valve and American Industrial Instrument lines there.

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ED BROWN REJOINS PERFECOLD STAFF

One of southern California's top refrigeration salesmen, Ed Brown of Los Angeles, has rejoined Perfecold Refrigeration Co. of Los Angeles as sales representative for the central and eastside areas of the city.

Brown, top Perfecold salesman in 1946, was formerly associated with the Golden West Brewing Co. as special contact man in southern California.

While at Perfecold Refrigeration Co., he established so many new sales records that he was awarded a special diamond "star salesman" pin by the company.

OMETHING new is being added to home freezer and frozen food promotional tools—it's The Frozen Food Cookbook, compiled by the research kitchen staff of Frozen Food Foundation, Inc. and expected to be available in the spring of 1948.

The cookbook is designed to give consumers a real incentive to expand their use of frozen foods and zero cabinets. It has over 25 major sections of feature material, about 400 individual frozen food recipes, more than 800 menus for daily meals and special occasions, the detail directions for storing, defrosting, preparing and serving all types of frozen foods.

Business details leading to publication and distribution of the cookbook are being handled by Frozen Food Products, Inc. of New York City, a Foundation member.

NEW PANELYTE OFFICE

Panelyte division of the St. Regis Paper Co. has opened a new district sales office in Minneapolis. The new office will be headed by Herbert M. Giefer, district manager, and will serve Panelyte customers in Minneapolis, St. Paul, and the surrounding area.

Jann P. Nielsen has been named Panelyte representative in the Detroit district.

HONEYWELL FORMS MEXICAN SUBSIDIARY

Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Co. has formed a subsidiary organization in Mexico, its sixth foreign subsidiary. The new firm has been named Honeywell-Brown, S. A., and headquarters are in Mexico City.

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CONTRACTORS News · Activities · Plans

While The Refrigeration Industry is not the official publication of the National Association of Refrigeration Contractors, the Editors assign this space each month to the association. The information below is furnished, for the most part, by the offices of the association and its local affiliates.

NARC Approves Separate Bids on Cooling Contracts

Policy on contractors' service warranties, suggested changes in architects' specifications on air conditioning installations, and improved production quality standards were foremost among numerous topics discussed by members and officers of the National Association of Refrigeration Contractors at their meeting Oct. 26-27 in Hotel Stevens, Chicago.

The meeting was a two-day affair, opening Oct. 26, Sunday, with the "annual" meeting required by the NARC constitution, and being followed by an open meeting that day and a meeting of NARC directors the day following. The "annual" meeting was immediately adjourned to next January in Cleveland, during the All-Industry Show, and the balance of the day spent in open discussion.

Considerable attention was given the subject of overlapping sub-contracts on heating, plumbing and air conditioning in the construction field, after it was introduced by Richard D. Elgin, of General Air Conditioning Corp., Little Rock, Ark., contractor firm.

Mr. Elgin reported that in his company's territory there is a tendency to lump heating, plumbing and air conditioning in one section of the construction contract. As a result, he declared, some of the old established heating and piping firms are getting into air conditioning, and some air conditioning contractors are going into the heating and plumbing business.

Some air conditioning contractors lose out entirely, Mr. Elgin continued, where architects' specifications lump these three jobs together, and the bids on the various portions of the jobs, when submitted this way, also vary widely.

In view of the heat pump's gaining more widespread use, it was agreed that this problem becomes increasingly important, and it was felt by those participating in the discussion that some strong effort should be made to see that air conditioning is brought into general construction contracts as a separate item, instead of being lumped in with heating and plumbing work. In this way, it was felt, the air conditioning contractor can get his rightful share of this business.

It was decided to present the problem to both the American Institute of Architects and to the Construction Industry Advisory Council, who in turn could advise all general contractors of this situation and perhaps move to correct it at the national level.

At the local level, NARC members plan to bring the situation directly to the attention of architects, general contractors, and refrigeration engineers, and urge corrective measures.

Considerable attention also was given to the matter of licensing and

ON THE matter of contractors' service warranties, a trouble-some problem being given considerable thought these days, the Refrigeration Contractors Association of Los Angeles has recommended the following wording on contracts in regard to repair labor and/or material furnished by the contractor:

"The seller warrants the workmanship and materials supplied by it against defects for a period of thirty days and shall be liable only for replacement of such workmanship and/or materials as it finds were defective and buyer hereby waives any and all claims for consequential and other damages arising therefrom."

The 30-day period mentioned in this clause is suggested and recommended as a sufficient warranty period for service or repair work, the association points out, and should not be confused with the one-year warranty on material and 90-day free service normally furnished with the sale of new equipment.

ARMSTRONG AD TELLS THE "LOCKER STORY"



This cutaway view of a typical locker plant and the accompanying flow chart of plant operations is featured in the fourth of a series of full-color advertisements by Armstrong Cork Co. stressing the importance of industrial insulation. Accompanying copy simply outlines locker plant services and processes. Full color 21 x 22-inch reproductions of both the ilustration and the flow chart are available without charge from Armstrong Cork Co.

to its connection with unfair trade practices. It was pointed out that licensing, in the opinion of some contractors, was considered a "cure" for unfair trade practices, but that in reality this is not the case.

The function of licensing is not to correct unfair trade practices—it is a type of legislation designed to enforce the safety code, and to protect the health and welfare of the public, it was emphasized in the discussion. What licensing does is to provide that only qualified contractors shall perform those operations listed in the

safety code.

In a rather lengthy discussion of trade relations, emphasis was placed on the problem of requesting better final inspection by the producers of the various components employed in installing a job. Many companies, it was said, operate on the principle that a certain percentage of defective parts may be expected to go out. However, the general practice of manufacturers in replacing parts which are defective (during their warranty period) does not take into consideration the cost to the contractor of the labor involved in replacing the parts, nor of other costs, such as replacing refrigerant when failure of the part in question has caused it to be lost.

Favorable Response Reported

The problem has been brought to the attention of manufacturers and is receiving favorable response, Warren W. Farr, NARC president, reported to the meeting. In this connection, he also advised contractors to investigate thoroughly the possibility of carrying products insurance.

In discussing the problem of warranties and guarantees, it was revealed that NARC is working out a suggested policy for contractors to follow, with the assistance of a legal counsel. This warranty by contractors, when prepared, would supplement the original manufacturer's warranty, and limit the contractor's liability to replacing those parts deemed defective by the manufacturer, the contractor supplying the labor necessary to replace the defective part.

Guarantee vs. Insurance

It was pointed out that a guarantee is not "insurance"; it simply guarantees the repair of equipment, but does not insure 100% operation of the equipment.

Other matters discussed included a proposal that a study of franchises be undertaken to see that the best interests of the contractor are protected, and the suggestion that contractors sell their own services aggressively in their local markets, by identifying their own firm name with jobs they do, instead of limiting this identification to the make of equipment used.

President Farr also reported that the General Contractors Association (of which NARC is a member) now is driving for a return to the fixedprice basis on contracts, and has asked NARC to go along. Abandoning the time-and-materials basis is part of a move to reduce construction prices.

At the NARC directors' meeting the following day, applications of the Sacramento and Santa Clara Valley (Calif.) local associations for NARC membership were approved, as was a new decal for members' use. Measuring 8 x 10", one decal will be supplied each member. These are expected to be available within 30 days.

Charles Harris was named representative, and Theodore Reina alternate, on the task committee which is revising the American Standards Association B-9 code on refrigeration.

MORE CONTRACTOR NEWS ON PAGE 83

CONTRACTORS SIGHT STEEL PIPE SHORTAGE

Evidences of a critical shortage of steel pipe, particularly in sizes from 3/8" to 2½", are increasing in reports received by National Association of Refrigeration Contractors from its members in Ohio and other states.

NARC is exercising its influence in an effort to bring about a more nearly adequate supply for its members. The pipe is used in ammonia refrigeration plants, on steam lines for air conditioning plants, and on water piping for low pressure refrigeration jobs.

NARC HEADS ADDRESS WISCONSIN CONTRACTORS

Warren W. Farr, president of the National Association of Refrigeration Contractors, was one of the speakers at the first convention of the Refrigeration Contractors' Association of Wisconsin, held at the Schroeder hotel, Milwaukee, on Nov. 29 and 30.

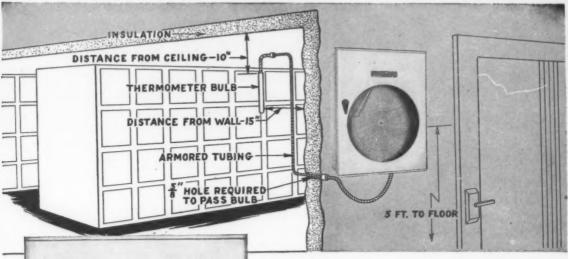
Another speaker was E. S. Wright, vice president of the national organization. Paul Reed of Perfex Corp., Milwaukee, also spoke.

An invitation to attend the convention was sent to the proprietor of every Wisconsin concern that sells, installs, repairs or services refrigeration equipment.

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Are You Getting Those Prospect Names?

We hope you're planning to use these cold-weather days, when your service business is apt to slow down enough for you to catch at least a few deep breaths, to compile a list of prospects that you can go to work on when the holiday season is past. From all indications, 1948 will be "the year," as far as resumption of anything like real selling activities, so it'll pay you to be ready for it.

There are any number of ways in which to get up a prospect list like this—but one of the very best, we've found, is to "use the user." A satisfied customer, after all, is your own best advertisement—and a customer who's just bought a new piece of equipment from you won't mind at all taking a few minutes to tell you about acquaintances of his, in the same or similar businesses, who'll be buying sooner or later.

You can't beat the sales punch you get by using a friend's name on your

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HERE is a simple way in which to test late model G-E fans.

Take a capacitor with 2 to 6 MFD. Connect white fan wire to one capacitor terminal, and green fan wire to the other capacitor terminal. Then connect lead wire to black fan wire and to green fan wire.

This is a two phase fan, and so will not run off of a 110 volt, 60 cycle line. When operating successfully, it takes one phase from the 110 volt, 60 cycle line and the other is generated by the compressor motor. The accompanying sketch illustrates the method I suggest.

C. J. Roy El Dorado, Ark. first call on a new prospect. It goes a long way toward making that good impression that means so much.

If you've overlooked this excellent source of prospects, why not backtrack and make a few "inspection calls" on your most recent customers, and get those new names. It'll pay off in future new business.

WANT TO EARN \$5?



You don't have to be a writer or a literary genius! Just jot down some of the shortcuts you've developed in your maintenance or installation work and send them to HERE'S HOW EDITOR, REFRIGERATION INDUSTRY. Your \$5 will be paid promptly when your maintenance tip is published in the magazine. Let's hear from you!

About Protectors For Torch Threads

The service tip we ran in our October issue on how to make a thread protector for a Prest-O-Lite torch drew a raft of comment, a portion of which we're publishing below. Nobody quarreled with the main idea advanced by the contributor, C. B. Scofield, of Fulton, Mo., that a protective device was called for.

The general tone of the reactions seemed to be that Mr. Scofield was going to special efforts to solve a problem that (to these service men, at least) didn't call for that much work.

Here are excerpts from three of the letters we received. Writes Alford F. Thompson, of Albuquerque, N. M.:

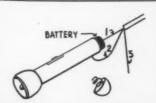
"... Why go to all that trouble with the odd size drill and all? Just get a 5/16" flare nut and that will screw right on the threads of the test torch."

According to Herbert Cain, of Lynn, Mass.:

"... A much simpler method is to use a standard ½" pipe cap, which fits perfectly. I use them on all my tips and leak detector."

From Claude A. Raab, of Alcan Refrigeration and Engineering Co., Los Angeles:

"To protect the threads on the tips on the leak detector and on the torch tips to my Prest-O-Lite set, I use $\frac{5}{16}$ " flare caps. These caps have the same



HERE'S a quick tip for frustrated service men who get themselves into difficulty and backbreaking work just to find out which wires on a three (3)-way or more hook-up control the thermostat mater. lights, etc.

stat, motor, lights, etc.
Make use of your flashlight!
Here's how:

1. Remove cap from back of flashlight case.

2. Take any 2 of the 3 wires in the hook-up.

 Attach—or simply hold—one wire on the rear flashlight battery (as shown in the sketch) and ground the other wire on the flashlight body.

4. (A) Press flashlight button to "ON"; (B) Throw control button to "ON".

If the flashlight bulb lights, that's the control circuit to the motor. Other variations can be made for other conditions.

M. G. Horwitz Washington, D. C. thread and fit perfectly-in fact I sometimes wonder if Prest-O-Lite built their sets to fit these caps, or if the caps are built to fit the Prest-O-Lite sets.

"At any rate, I find it a valuable asset in protecting this equipment, since it not only keeps out dirt but also protects the end in case they are dropped."

Testing Compressor Suction Valves

There is no sure and accurate test for suction valve leaks that is applicable in the field. However, one of the most practical tests for suction valve performance is a check on the vacuum obtainable with any given compressor.

Proceed in the same manner as you would in testing compressor discharge valves. If, after doing this, it is possible to obtain a 20" vacuum against a head pressure of from 100 to 150 pounds gauge, it might be assumed the suction valves are seating properly.

It is true that a "poor pumper" might also be traceable to too much head clearance above the pistons, or leak-by, past the piston rings. In any of these events, a further check would be indicated.

Keep Your Customers Thinking About You

Customers have pretty short memories . . . unless you jog them every now and then.

Of course, all of us may imagine that we do the sort of work that the average customer simply can't forget-but all of us can remember times when it didn't work out that way in practice.

The fall and winter months usually provide most of us with spare time enough to do a good deal of prospecting and planning for additional business. It's good business to always be on the look-out for new accounts-but it certainly doesn't pay to forget the old ones.

Keep your customers thinking about you. One very good way to do this is by a series of direct-mailings, pointing out the various services you have to offer, and otherwise doing an "institutional" job for you with the customer. Offering a "special", a free check-up of equipment for example,

FOUR-IN-ONE TESTER



A new 4-in-1 appliance tester which checks voltage, amperage and two separate temperatures all at one time is now offered by Kelvinator Div., Nash-Kelvinator Corp. The two temperature readings, which are registered electrically, can be taken in the same unit in two separate refrigerator cabinets. Weighing less than 10 pounds, the instrument is compactly built into a special carrying case. Developed in collaboration with Kelvinator service engineers, the new tester is manufactured by J. B. T. Instruments, Inc., New Haven, Connecticut.

is one tried-and-true way of arousing

interest.

The mailings needn't be elaborate although naturally it's to your advantage to make them as attractive as possible. But we know organizations who use nothing but penny postcards, and do a bang-up job of follow-ups like this.

The best way, of course, is to have one of your servicemen call on the customer personally, and either make the check-up at that time or arrange for it to be done at a definite time later on. Then your customer is sure you're interested in him, and he'll be more apt to remember you.

Then, too, there's nothing like a personal call to get a line on what the customer may need in the line of new equipment.

NEW AIRCO FLUX FOR STAINLESS STEEL

The Air Reduction Sales Co., New York City, has recently announced the availability of a new flux for the oxyacetylene welding of stainless steels and high chromium bearing alloys. The flux has been designated as Airco Formula No. 34.

After extensive field trials, the new Airco flux has proved to be far superior to any previous stainless steel welding flux they have put on the market, says the manufacturer.





THIS MUSEUM PIECE IS THE GRANDDADDY OF BUSH FINNED COILS

OUR FORTIETH YEAR

Back in 1907, a refrigeration system consisted of a compressor and many feet of two-inch iron pipe. It was inefficient, costly, bulky.

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NEW SALES MANAGER

Thomas C. Carey has been appointed sales manager of Appliance Distributors, Admiral distributor in Chicago.



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COMMERCIAL SALES . . .

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er. Rather, it is with the thought in mind that the years of experience of many of its members as successful merchants will be beneficial to the entire industry as a whole. The facts contained herein, and the comments of the layman, will, it is hoped, guide the younger business man into the correct channels for the successful selling of such equipment—at greater profits and a higher volume of sales.

In today's modern world of business competition, selling methods have changed. The small, one-man shop, with its parts cluttered, greasy floor and alley way entrance, no longer plays a part in one of America's fastest-growing industries—the marketing of commercial refrigerator equipment

To Succeed, You Must Grow

It must be emphasized to both the distributor and dealer that to do business successfully today, he must grow with the trend of the times. He must be able to present his wares on a par with the modern merchandising ideas accepted by the commercial refrigerator buyer and the general public alike.

Food, in itself, is an important industry. It comprises over 25% of our national economy. Frozen foods, and the displaying and safe keeping of perishable food products by use of commercial refrigerator equipment in retail store outlets, has today become a major development in both the food and refrigerator industry.

Packers, manufacturers and engineers, working in full cooperation with established, reliable commercial refrigerator distributors and dealers, can advance and develop this newly accepted method of merchandising food products into one of the nation's most profitable enterprises.

It must be kept in mind that the marketing of frozen foods is still in its infancy. Through continuous experiments and developments of better methods for freezing fresh fruits and vegetables, and the rapid advancement of packing and freezing all kinds of fresh meats, fish and poultry, the refrigerator equipment industry will have advanced far beyond its greatest expectations from a "volume of sales" standpoint of all commercial refrigerator dealers and distributors.

It's Not Wishful Thinking

Even after an accumulation of facts, some men will say that such a gigantic advancement of an industry is wishful thinking. One need only look at the sales records of successful distributors and dealers over the past 10 years.

The answer is plain. They have become successful operators because they have grown and built their business with the trend of the times. They have been able to grasp the meaning of modern merchandising methods and by modernization of their own stores and salesrooms, have become to-day's leaders in an industry which is slowly but surely promoting a high standard of sales ethics and product presentation. In this program, the NCRSA is playing an important part.

FLYING DISTRIBUTOR



Norvell S. "Cy" Shobe, head of Shobe, Inc., new Coolerator distributor in Memphis, Tenn., poses on the wing of his Beechcraft Bonanza which he uses for flying visits to his dealers. Mr. Shobe has been in the appliance field since 1922, and has been flying since 1936. He became so proficient at this hobby that in 1942 when he volunteered for Navy service he was ordered to set up a flight instruction program in northern and northwestern parts of the country. Later he was placed in charge of Navy flight training for 16 colleges in western and midwestern states. Upon his release from the Navy he joined with W. R. Kent to form Shobe, Inc.

CHEERS FOR THE NEW SECTION

Alex J. Miller, Inc. Buffalo 12, N.Y.

Editor:

It is gratifying to learn of the special new commercial refrigeration section which you have started in your October issue.

We are confident that other dealers and distributors will welcome the opportunity to share their views and report on various activities of mutual interest to all concerned.

May we again extend our congratulations on the new addition to the interesting and informative articles which you now publish.

E. L. Hill, Jr.

F. W. Vaden Co. Oklahoma City 2, Okla.

Editor

I am in receipt of your letter in regard to the publication "Commercial Refrigerator Sales News" department carried in THE REFRIGERATION INDUSTRY magazine.

I am certainly glad to hear about this publication and assure you that we are intensely interested in receiving this.

I might add at this time as a new item that on Oct. 13 we had a meeting at the Skirvin Tower Hotel during the State Retail Grocers Convention of eight of the refrigeration distributors in Oklahoma City. We had representatives from McCray, Tyler, Super-Cold and ourselves as Hussmann dealers. The writer was appointed temporary chairman. We are passing out a list of the by-laws of the National Association and application blanks, and we have a meeting planned to perfect a permanent organization for Oklahoma City and to elect



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JACK SHOOT.

NCRSA LAUNCHES PRIZE MEMBERSHIP CONTEST

A nationwide prize contest for additional membership, open to all present members of NCRSA, has been announced by George B. Herman, president. The contest will run until Jan. 26, with the winner being announced at the annual NCRSA banquet in Cleveland on Jan. 27.

Prize for the member enrolling the greatest number of new members will be a complete round-trip to the All-Industry Show in Cleveland, or \$100 in cash if he cannot attend. Point score will determine winners, with 25 points given for each new member and 15 for each new associate member signed. Checks for a full year's dues must accompany each new mem-

Further information may be obtained from the executive secretary's office, 217 Produce Bank Bldg., Minneapolis.

NEW COMMERCIAL OUTLET IN JACKSON, MISS.

General Refrigeration & Appliance Co. has been opened by T. E. Wright and A. D. Hopkins at North State and Amite Sts., Jackson, Miss. The firm will handle walk-in- and reach-in units, display cases, milk and beverage coolers, air conditioning and water coolers. Service manager is J. L. Jordan, with Nelene Dill as secretary and K. C. Gallagher as assistant manager.

JAMES FELTS JOINS COLDEW SALES STAFF

Coldew Corp., South Gate, Calif. manufacturer of commercial refrigeration equipment, has named James Felts to its sales staff. He formerly was with Frigidaire and Norge in sales positions, and was general manager of E. B. Garrett Co., Eldorado, Ark.

CONSULTANT NAMED

J. Gordon Lippincott of the New York industrial design firm, J. Gordon Lippincott & Co., Inc., has been appointed packaging consultant serving on the research committee of the Frozen Food Institute, Inc.

BEN HYATT HEADS DETROIT CONTRACTORS

Ben J. Hyatt, of Copeland Authorized Service, is the new president of the Refrigeration Contractors Association of Detroit. Vice president is George Murphree, of Refrigeration Maintenance Corp. Frederick R. Bolton continues as executive secretary and counsel of the group, which is affiliated with NARC.

WHEELER HEADS CHICAGO CONTRACTORS' GROUP

H. E. Wheeler, of Air Comfort Corp., is the new president of the Refrigeration Contractors Association of Chicago. Vice-president is Walter McCarty, of McCarty Bros. Equipment Corp., and a newly elected director is Theo C. Johnsen, of Johnsen Refrigeration Co.

PROGRESS ON MODEL LICENSE CODE REPORTED

National Association of Refrigeration Contractors reports that a suggested licensing ordinance, which has been in process for some time, has been prepared and is in the hands of the special NARC committee handling that matter. Copies also have been sent to the 23 local contractor groups affiliated with NARC, for their comments.

TO HELP more businessmen get their share of sales in the \$5,000,000,000 annual government market, the N.Y. Journal of Commerce has just issued a new 32-page booklet designed to take the mystery out of bidding and contract procedures. The booklet is titled "How to Sell to the Government." Copies may be obtained from the Journal of Commerce, 63 Park Row, New York 15, N.Y., at 50 cents each.

"How to Sell to the Government" is a consolidation of a series of detailed studies made by the business newspaper on the federal, state and municipal markets of the nation. It is prepared as a guide to manufacturers, jobbers, and dealers alike, and notes that more than 100,000 different items are bought each year by the country's many governmental agencies.

SEVEN COAST GROUPS ARE IN NARC RANKS

Two more associations have joined the National Association of Refrigeration Contractors, bringing the total of such affiliated groups to 23.

One is the Refrigeration Dealers and Contractors Association of Fresno, Calif., with 15 members. President is Chas. G. Bell of Bell, Hughes & Knowles; vice-president, John Geringer of Conditioned Air & Refrigeration Co.; secretary-treasurer, G. J. Neill of Arctic Refrigeration Co., 4190 Belmont, the present headquarters of the association.

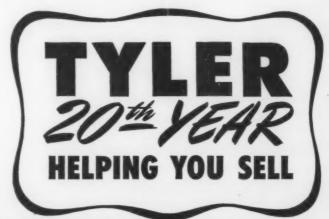
The other is the Refrigeration Contractors Association of Sacramento Valley, Calif., with 15 members. President is A. M. MacLennan of MacLennan Co., vice-president, A. Schoen of Al Schoen Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Co.; secretary-treasurer, S. A. Peterson of P & S Refrigeration Equipment Co.; Sergeant-at-Arms, Cliff Stewart of Refrigeration Engineering Co.; executive-secretary, Richard J. Jacinto, with offices at 1012 J St.

Both associations will hold regular monthly meetings.

The West Coast now has seven NARC affiliated associations. Headquarters of the other five are in San Diego, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland and Seattle.

Twenty years ago this month the late Jerry Tyler, with three employees in less than 1,000 sq. ft. of floor space, started the organization that today employs over 1,000 workers in over 400,000 sq. ft. of factory space in modern plants in Niles, Michigan, Cobleskill, New York, and Waxahachie, Texas.

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GREETINGS

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For most of us, however, the year has given a full measure of time equally divided and well filled with the usual allotment of life's joys and sorrows.

But Christmas time provides an occasion when we put aside for the moment the rush and cares of the day and give serious thought to the worthwhile things in life. It is a time when we feel kindly disposed toward one another, and deeply grateful for the many friendships we enjoy. Christmas inspires us to express our

gratitude for the happiness which the passing year has brought, and to look forward to the New Year with hope and courage and sincere good will for all.

As you have so generously given us your friendship and confidence we want you to know that your faith in us has been

appreciated that we welcome the opportunity to serve you in the future as we have been privileged to do in the past. Please accept our sincere wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.





